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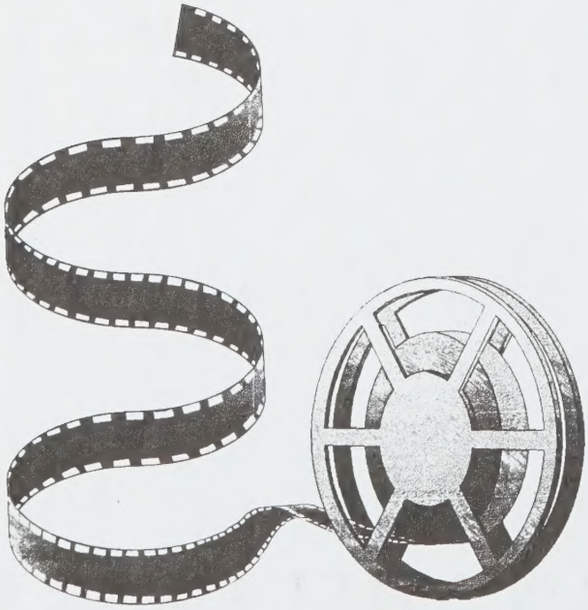

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COMING ATTRACTIONS

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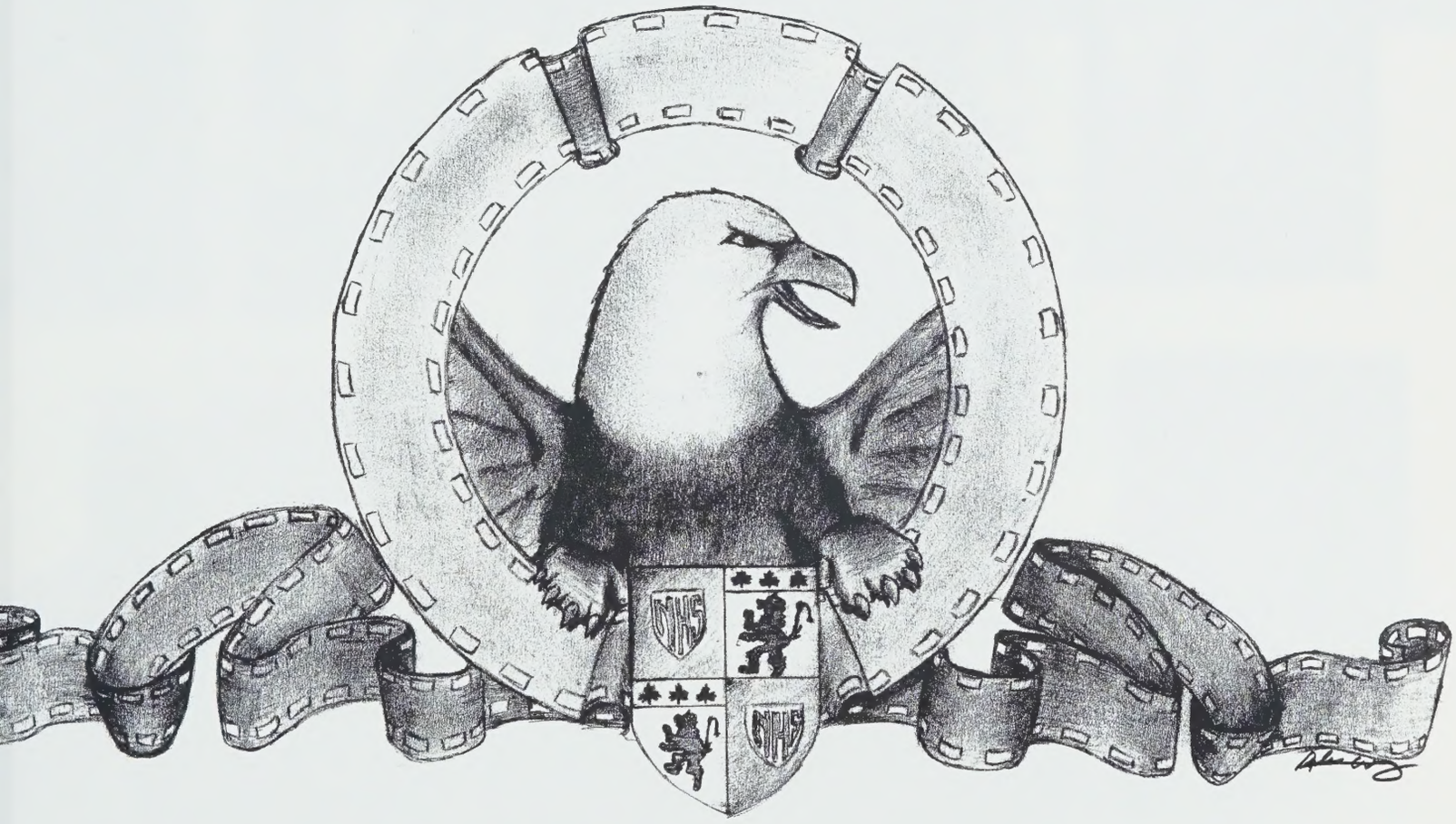

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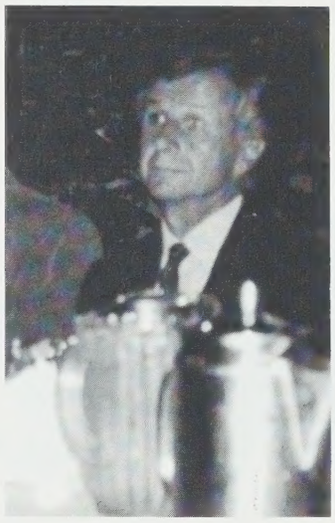
Mr. Brooks



From The Headmaster

"All the world's a stage,
And all the men and women merely players."

These familiar lines from Shakespeare's **As You Like It** pointedly illustrate for us the transient nature of our lives. Whether we are students moving from elementary to secondary or just from grade to grade, or whether we are members of staff taking on new responsibilities, our roles change with our experiences. Even on a day-to-day basis, we may choose to wear 'different hats' in different situations. As human beings we are eminently flexible and can adjust to changing circumstances.

So can our school. It was ten short years ago that Jane, Matt, Jeremy, Benji, and I moved to Victoria and to GNS. In this decade the school has been centre stage in our lives and we, in our turn, have had some impact on the schools's growth and development. We are now moving on to play other roles on different stages. The school too will adjust and change as it becomes the focus for a new Head and a new family. I am confident of a record-breaking run for both and wish you all every success.

Meanwhile, the Brooks will exit stage left...

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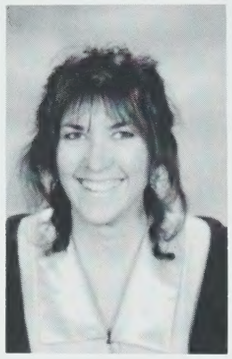
K. Learch

G. Halpern

J. Hartley



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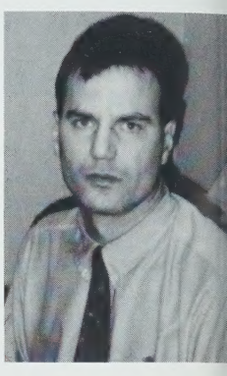

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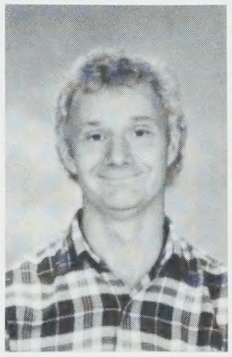

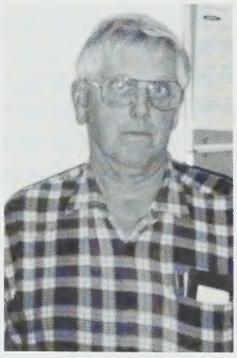

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T. Lacroix

L. Butt

G. Gabel

D. Brooks

L. McNeill

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M. Arvay

F. McQueen

B. McCallum

S. Angus

P. Rafferty

T. Macpherson

B. Grover

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J. Neville

D. McLean

S. Piets

R. Hunter

S. Skey

Missing:

G. Browne

DEDICATION

We, the 1997 yearbook staff dedicate this episode of the Glenlyon-Norfolk School Yearbook to Mrs. Jenkins, who has been the driving force behind the yearbook for many years. She has acted as the staff advisor and enhanced the appearance and quality of the yearbook immensely. Mrs. Jenkins has also been a fantastic English teacher, who has sparked our interest in Shakespeare and Mythology. Mrs. Jenkins has been an invaluable asset to our school. She has always been there for the students, and will be missed by all. Mrs. Jenkins and her husband plan to travel, to write and to seek new horizons in the years to come. We wish Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins all the very best in the future, and hope to hear of her adventures in the near future.

STAFF

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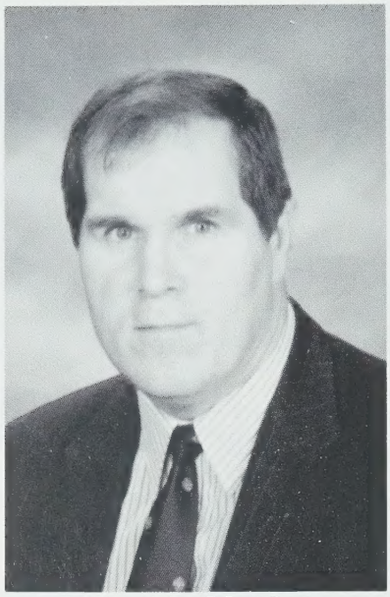

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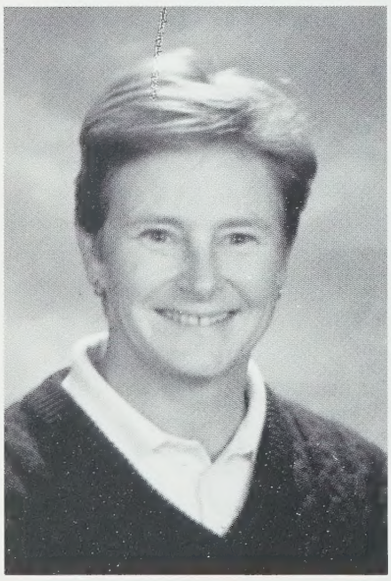

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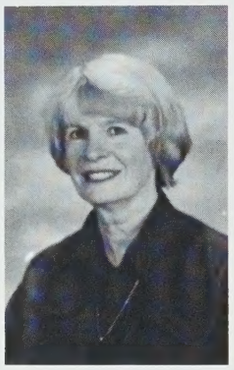

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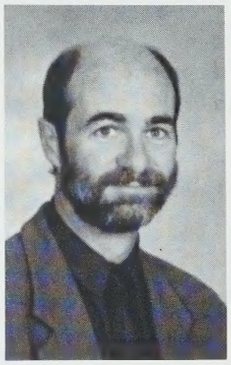

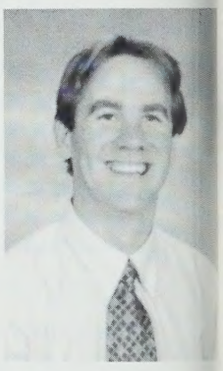

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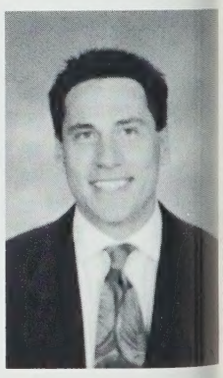

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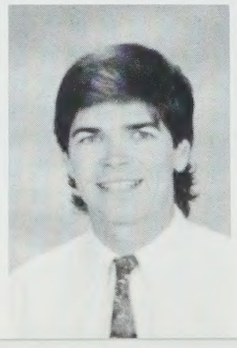

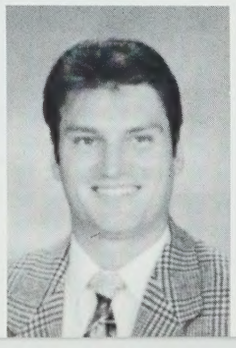

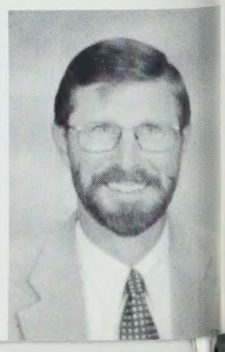

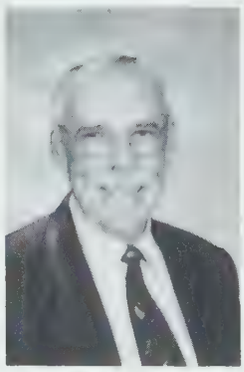

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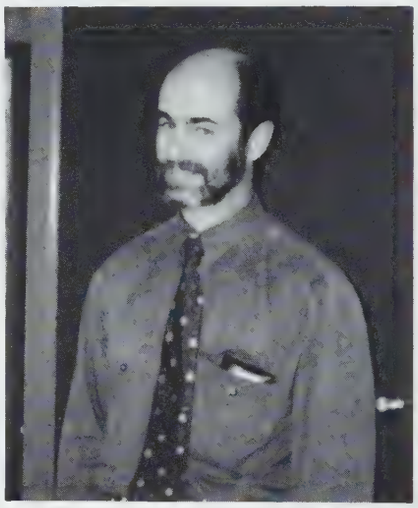

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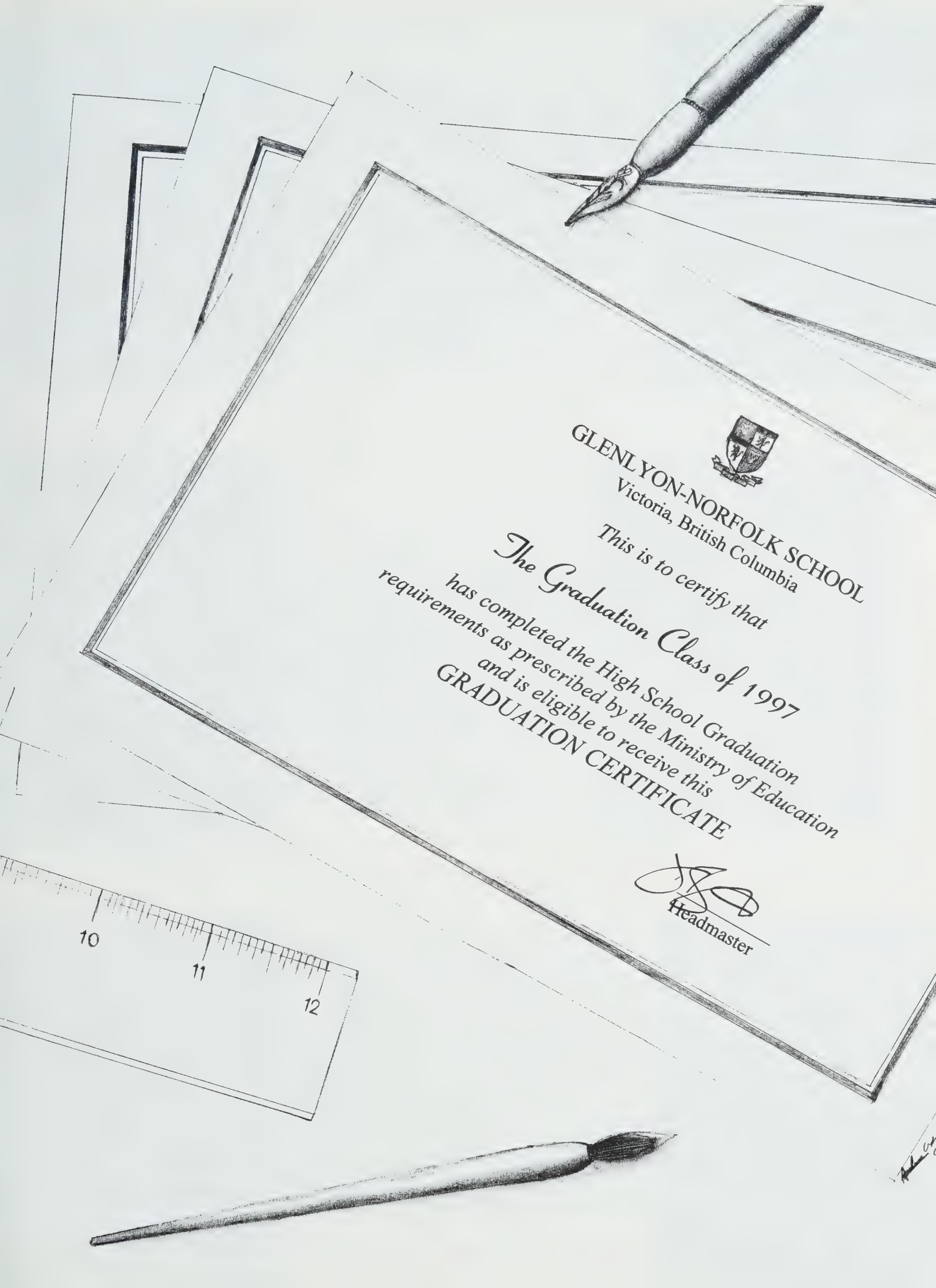
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Name: Beau Curby Robert Klaibert
Years at G.N.S: 1987 -1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: To be a medical doctor and buy out Microsoft..
Probable Destiny: A Harvard graduate who lives in a shack and blows up things in my spare time.
Favorite Quatation: "Go out on a limb, that's where the fruit is" -Confucious
Best Memories: Years at the JB campus; all my out-week adventures (Camp Narnia, Manning Park, Flotilla in the gulf islands, kayaking in barkley sound, and mountain climbing at the Jeoffery Range); Angus and the Bridgmans; skimming and Mystic Beach; all the wild parties; lays: Leader of the Pack, The Devil and Daniel Webster, Dark Side of the Moon, Cinderella. Hacking down Woody and his Canadiens! Correspondence Chemistry. Rugby (Mr. Stanley's wedgie), Soccer (Matt B. and the Central incedent), Rock Climbing. Holly/AlcoHolly Hilton on crack (actually, this was a constant nightmare). The Urban Terrorist Gang. All the boys back in Nam.

Name: Abigail Beth Ranger
Years at GNS: 1991-1997 **House**: WT
Ambition: Geez, I don't know. I'm just a kid.
Probable Destiny: President of the United States (Holly's suggestion)
Pet Peeves: Touching base, bug bites, fat jokes, being snarfed by Wylie, sunburns that make me look drunk, Ben's vicious attacks at my locker.
Favourite Quotation: "If you fake the funk, your nose will grow." - George Clinton
Best Memories: Peaches; the bus trek in Vancouver; the lick face with Mel; corn pops on the Flotilla; watching Katie eat; spastic driving and the Mr. Vain incident on the way to bask; being a T-rex in Latin9; "je suis aveugle"; abbreves; mystere des tomates; the German drinking machine; "For some reason, Old MacDonald just came into my mind... The song!"; Boston - me, you, other guy; England; the acupuncture song in Toronto; Annie's sauna that burns your eyes out in a good way; the homeform Santa; the interpretive dance of the cell; "in bed" with the gang; my crack sister Holly; visiting the ambassador of Portugal; The Plan; life with the Energy Boy; partying with all my friends. Personal Hero: Katelyn, the greatest sister a gal could have.

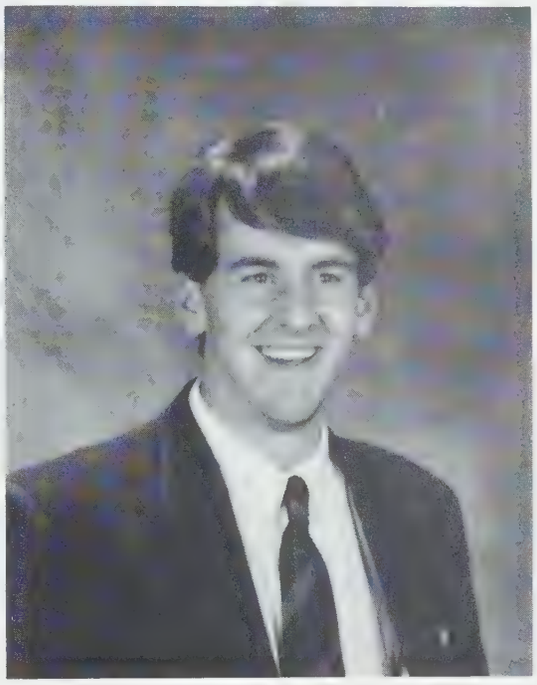
Abby will always be remembered as the most accomplished, wild and crazy Head Girl ever! From the planning to the dancing, peaches and the country, she's the best. I look forward to the years to come (Australia)! I love you, man! (H.H.) Dearest Abs... the gal who was a pedestrian for so long! She was a great ally in The Plan and in all our adventures. (K.B.) Abby: our illustrious inner, our lordly lock, and our clobbering centre. She scared the fishies with her "Keywest Intermezzo" - I saw you first. Earls, Monday night, you and me. (M.H.) What can I say about our Head Girl? She's one of the most intelligent people I know and yet she's one of the silliest people I know. From sitting in the sauna to being the Walsingham Warrior (go Green!), Abs is a wacky, super cool friend who is going to be a star. (A.V.) Abby put the cool in the school. Everywhere the Queen Bee goes she brings a giddy, sunshiny brilliance. Most of all, she's the funkiest grrl I've ever met. (P.J.C.)

Name: Mike Adams
Years at G.N.S. 1987 - 1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: To attain god-like status in the music industry
Probable Destiny: To finally open a pack of wine gums with equal colors
Pet Peeves: Chemainus, O.E. 40's, techno, my laugh, Jeff and Liz
Favourite Quotation: "If I had to choose between a hot wife or a hot marriage, I'd choose a hot car" -Tim Allen
Best Memories: Woodchuck Tuesday (Cloud Nine, Hey Clown, No name band... whatever); all outweeks (especially Flotilla '96) Toronto, Seattle, and soon to be Banff band trips; Leader of the Pack; Strip Poker on Gr.10 Outweek; the four corners of the computer lab; Bella (R.I.P.); all the ski trips; switching to snowboarding; Grad '96; "Bottom of the Barrel" in the common room; the party of the century (Steve's Birthday party, estimated at a whopping 20 people); Pioneer Pacific; the many, many, many trips to McDicks; Corn Dogs; Wylie my Afro-Icelandic amigo; Bob and Doug (Mike and Paf) MacKenzie; Jeff's hot tub, six guys, and expensive imported cigars; the Tragically Hip, Lollapalooza '94and '95, Suicidal Tendencies and Metallica (Ouch!!!) and all the other concerts I've been to; the many stalkers (Fiona and Eden); Whistler, summer '95; the Throness sisters, Nate, Hugh, and all the other Vancouver people; recording the demo in a Sea of @$#%; Annie's birthday; the gig at the E.M.I.; Nicky's little Australian friend Purdy; Rip City; Steve 'I blew off my hand with a Hummeroo, and burnt off my eyebrows burning text books' Biggs; EC Dancing at Gyro Park; j'aime Patty and Ty; Nate Geminiano Personal Heroes: Lee from Souled Out, Sean Connery

Mikie, play dat funky music white boy! Remember to keep it smooth like butta. Mike is known as a founding member of Cloud Nine (R.I.P.), G.N.S. Jazz, and Woodchuck Tuesday. What will we do without your perverse sense of humour and twinkie runs to 7-11. Bella may be dead but Mike isn't. See ya sniffy. Patty Costello and Tyrone Trotter

Name: Andrew Alan Armour
Years at GNS: 1992-1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: To get a cell phone and get rich
Probable Destiny: To be forever stuck with my pager and be poor
Pet Peeves: Police, expulsion, Hope B-ball tourney's, Victoria drivers, Jovies, perms, "No Doubt", "We'll need to see some I.D. please.", rookies.
Favorite Quotation: "If you don't stand for something, you will fall for anything"- Anonymous
Best Memories: All Bask. trips, countless parties where I've raised a ruckus, many nights with my boyz BP, FS, & the rest of the Roadrunner Crew, California with my Dad, tobogganing on X-mas eve '96, countless battles with French teachers including Francois, Marquez, and Macmillan/Girard, the many shannigans and episodes with KT, chillin' with all my buddies on weekends, Dave's parties including the almighty Kegger, Sean's party and the sauna, all outweeks, The drug search (Manning), all of Lindsay's parties, many nights spent with my good friends Ron & Jack, Holly's parties, especially after exams, winning AA B-ball provincials '97,Thanx to Woody, Jean, Cynthia, & the rest of my teachers for dealing with me for my time at GNS. P.S., Thanx to my parents for putting up with my @#$! for 17 years!, and I'm out!!!!! Personal Heroes: My Parents & Michael Jordan, for their successes of the court.

Well Andrew, there have been some unforgettable moments, with driving, school subs, double studies on the beach, and those raging Mexican parties>Lambs. The grass will be greener on the other side. Your hyper Friend. (KT)



Name: Benjamin Axmann
Years at G.N.S : 5 **House:** Walsingham (#1)
Ambition: University within 30 years
Probable Destiny: Beachbum in Aussi
Pet Peeves: "I.D. Please", no car, correspondance chem, American drinks, canoeing the morining after, Smirnoff's tooth, Holly's bathroom, Alex trying to be hardcore, Stubb's Lip, Jer and his precious little Camaro, Highlands, Hope, Mr. K.
Favourite Quotes: 'Forget the Hebden, let's get swailed'.-AH 'Don't worry about a thing, cause every little thing is going to be alright."-BM 'You're going nowhere.' -AR "Stop the Spinning." -Stubbs
Best Memories: Trashing Oak Bay marina with CS and HH, Grizzlies(the Burger King), Car Rally 96, KT's and Nitin's, outweeks, Mystic, Discovery-my midnight swim(thanks Conor), Longbeach, Bask Trips, Saltspring, AMERICA-Simon and his 60 year old boyfriend, packing with Abs, Hertel rocked, Chandeliers, Rugby prov's, OBC, Montreal, Jr. Bask, Manning park drug bust, Dave's luck, times I don't remember, Mexico,Chris in the back of my truck, Dave's house, "Bottom of the Barrel," Galiano, homeform, Mt. Washington (the van), punching JerV in Spanish Class, tubing at Shawnigan, Lindsay looking for the H2O, grad 96,97, DB at grad, Kicking Caister's ass, Cam, Leaving.
Personal Heros: My Parents, Irene, Mr. Brooks, Bob Marley.

Ben has this crazy knack of getting me in trouble... who knows why. Ben is always the life of the party and is up for absolutely anything. Next year I am sure that he will be camping in Australia or coaching in England- anything to get out of going to university! One thing is for sure, he will be missed. (AV)

Name: Stephen Matthew Weatherley Biggs
Years at G.N.S. 1991-1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: to drive European cars to and from work and be successful and happy.
Probable Destiny: my own Labatt Genuine Draft commercial featuring "Genuine Steve"
Pet Peeves: working, 7-11 hamburgers, people dropping my guitar on the ground, P.R. vans.
Best Memories: Woodchuck; Whistler '95 with da boyz(do you want a knife); Lollapalooza '94 and '95; Pioneer Pacific camps; Portland Island; Recording the dem;The Hip with Melly; Silver Star parties; Toronto gr. 7; Driving a Z3; Annie's birthday on Saltspring ; Bike trips; the *Jetta* ; Outweek Flotilla '96 (mmm. lunar eclipse) ; Big Boat ; Cloud Nine(the end of my singing career) ; The EMI gig (not the record company, the mental institute!); Party of the century; Lippin' off Mark-O on the End ; Rip city and guitar rock at the Petro Can; Viva Puffs ; High-class cigars ; Vancouver trips (the planetarium), Throness sista's; YMCA ; Ben's pard house on Galiano; sleemans,ugh! ; Staying with Y Y in the puke chamber; Willows Beach ; Patty and Ty (I love you guys) ; Tom Lee Music and the almighty PRS ; Lindsay's parties ; Butchart's parties with Tuckey and Justin ; General Lee ; Mike's moms crepes ; Corn dogs ;Bella ; the multimizer; Elsie McNaughty ; Text book flare-ups and EC dancing at Gyro, stolen flamingo's; Sniffy, 2 black, 2 native, pHD boy, and Doug MacKenzie; sign mission with Gabbo,Melly, and Jeffy; 54 • 40 ; Collective Soul and Ashley MacIsaac; Dream Team car rally in the Gutlass supreme; Assholeas Maximis in the Common room; former "kack" days; Nate ; turkey head ; warren; Marigold and Millhouse.

If you ever walk down the halls of G.N.S. and hear the voice of someone that sounds like a Scottish soccer hooligan their's a 50/50 chance that its Steve M. W. Biggs. Steve has many outstanding qualities such as being able to play a mean blues riff, pull some crazy stuff on a snowboard, but most importantly he's my friend. We've pulled many crazy stunts together, most of them without injury. YOU'RE MA BAHA!

Name: Bianca Bodley
Years at G.N.S: 1993-1997 **House:** W.T
Ambition: To be an athletic therapist
Probable destiny : To be playing hockey when I'm 95
Pet Peeves: Icy turf, people who can't understand my accent, confusion in math class.
Favorite Quotation: "Dare to dream, dare to try, dare to fail, dare to succeed."
Best Memories: Out week'95 Barkley with the Jacksons'('trips-over'), '96 Clayquot - lunar eclipse, sunsets, quotes to ponder & surf entries, Provincials 94&96 - Metro town 'Pooh' shopping with Kell & the girls, Earls with the gals (hockey &b-ball),winning hockey league play, Victoria rep -U16/U18, Nationals with BC, Black-tie parties at Lindsey's, Chats with Mr Crazy, 'the process'-with AJ & the gals, Sooke pot-holes, Mystic, Skimming with the boys, Saltspring with Angus, Consumers video with K.T & Mell, Dances, Triatholon with Fern & Briana, Pottery with Mrs 'J', Montreal -Rugby, B-Ball tournaments "Bootie Slappin" with Holl and Sandy, Vikes B-ball nights out, Ginger bread houses at B's, Skiing with my Bro, 'Salsa' nights with the gals, Water skiing at 6.am, debating-Ravenhurst, Car rally 94 (intersection), lunch runs with AJ & Mully, My B-day party '95 at Conors, 'Adventures' with Mrs Jenkins, Pizza & 'Babe' with the gals, Grade! All my 'eeexcelent' adventures with my friends. My personal heroes are: Jesus, my mom dad, and Pooh bear.

Bianca's bubbly happy personality has kept us all smiling for years. She will be remembered for being so hard to understand (accent), and for her incredible skills on the hockey pitch. Bianca's ability to fit so much into a single day will never cease to amaze us. (Briana) She's a "Bootie Slapper"; with the war-scars & out of control laughing fits, our years together have been a blast. I look forward to the UVIC years to come - May'98. (Holly) Bianca is a great friend and I love her constant smile and positive attitude. (Sandra) Binky is a truely devoted and caring person. Her honesty, courage, and perseverance will help her through anything that life throws her way. She is one of the strongest people I know, and would do anything to help out a friend. If I had a crystal ball, I'd probably see in it some big field hockey award, Winnie the Pooh , and a some cool girl just hangin' out on the beach and enjoying her life.

Name: Angus Bridgman
Years: 1992 - 1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: To work at Club Med for the rest of my life or be a Phys. Ed. teacher
Probable Destiny: Camosun student for the rest of my life
Pet Peeves: Perms, 5-0's, stupid nicknames (right Thor C.C.), people busting the Utah, Osoyoos chics, Hope, Cheap bask motels, Surrey, Bad rookies, Driving through Nanaimo, being summoned to court.
Favourite Quotation: "You have to crawl before you can walk"-Unknown "Do you have any identification, sir?"-BCL Employee "Yes, I am from UTAH"-Me
Best Memories: Bask trips, Outweeks, Independent voyage, Juan de Fuca with Beau, Mystic with JM, SM, CB, BK, MB, Hawaii '95, Nationals, Provs, Tofino, Wolfpack '96, The stop light in car rally '95, Kegger '96, Holly and her parties, drug raid at Manning Park, SSI 97, seeing SSI differently at Carey's parties, West Coast Trail with Mr. Kirby, camping with Monty, Sub-building at provs, Daytona with Ryan and Weston, Losing Garth playing football with Justin, Ben K., and Conor, the runs in the blizzard '97, Garth's burning sushi, snorkelling with the bask team, crack on outweek, Stereo in the woody, cruising in the T-Bird, all summers...

W-zup Angus! The man will always be known for his crazy bask skills: Base-line jumpers and fouling out. Angus will be remembered for his academic and scholarly attitude in class. See ya on SSI.(A.A.) Angus was noted for being a jock. On the Rugby field or on the basketball court he was always a strong team player with enthusiasm and a good since of sportsmanship. Off the court Angus always had a good since of humour and a keen since of wit. In general however, Angus will be remembered as a fun loving guy who dated a crack addict and threw wild a SSI party.(B.K.)

Name: Kathleen Danièle Brierley
Years at G.N.S. 1987-97 **House:** DF
Ambition: Nothing to do with math; I will travel the world
Probable destiny: Owning an "all you can eat restaurant"
Pet Peeves: **BEING HUNGRY**, end of holidays, first gear through Oak Bay, headaches, and people who despise the Canucks
Favourite Quotation: L'essentiel est invisible. De St. Exupery dans Le Petit Prince
Best Memories: Ecuador '95, wild "discotecas", los dias de falta. The Plan with Abs and Holly, Café Mexico, Grad '96, Grade 8 drama with Miss Chatterton, Grade 7 tuna adventures and constant trouble, all those fun French classes in G102 with McMillan/Girard, double studies at the beach, kayaking and Ranch outweeks, Strathcona camp, getting booted out of Junior School assembly because I sang the hymn too loudly! Bodychecks with Sam and Alex in the halls, France '96, carol services, Show Do Man concert with Michelle, and Le Mystère de tomates with Abs. Personal Hero: My dad

On a typical day, Katie eats more than the average bear, runs a couple of marathons, has a near-death driving experience, gets a migraine, and then parties like crazy. (Love, Abs) Katie rocks any field she is on, especially the hockey field. She has a song for any occasion. One day we'll find Kate at her own dance club, still singing and dancing. Just don't hang around if she hasn't had lunch. (Love, Michelle) Katie, my braveheart bud, a partner in the best plan ever, I wonder if that lady ever found her dog? I look forward to years of schemes and craziness-maybe the Wax Museum next? (Lots of love always, Holly) Whether she is singing in class or screaming in the halls, KT always has something to say and she says it loud! I know you will be successful whatever you do, and I hope I'm there to hear it. (Love always, Bianca) W-zup Katie, we've had some crazy times at this school, ever since you took me under your wing in Grade 8. Thank you for everything you've done for me. (Your buddy, Andrew)

Name: Malcolm Brown
Years at GNS: since "The Summer of '69" **House:**WD
Ambition: To own my own ride on lawn mower
Probable Destiny: To have my own fishing show
Pet Peeves: Refs(Wendman), nasal injuries, jovacs, rowdy Americans, Alcoholly, The Bengals, rude guys, stir fried cat, Smirnoff.
Favorite Quotations: "Someday when you guys go out with a girl you'll know what it feels like." - Mr. Britten "Kinky people come over for group sex." - Woody
Best memories: Tree hugging & angels with Benjy. Dressing up at Justin's. Peter Wardell. AMOCLAP. Saanichitis. Cordova Bay Elementary with Steve and Chris. The Oak Bay incident with Dave and Chris. Costa Rica, Maria. Kevin and Mike. Saltspring and Discovery with Conor. Pukin' 91. Bill's backyard. Aura. Jean and Vern. New Zealand. Long Beach and Parksville. Roberto Ducharme. Skimin' at Mystic. Henry and Itelo. Snowbing with Conman. Studying with Al. Provincials 94-95, 95-96. Bar Hopping in Montreal. Teen idol, the American and Drugless. Merengue Mix. Little Sister. Oak Bay Native Plant Garden. Hangin' in the Bay. Cinderella. One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest. McMurphy.Personal Heroes: Al Pacino, Gavin Hastings, Travolta and my Grandpa.

Malcolm was always the most totally cool guy I knew. Like, he could slot it from the 40 without a tee. Rock on and relax, ya know. (Alex Hertel)

Name: Courtney Chambers
Years at G.N.S: 1995 - 1997 **House**: CM
Ambition: Successful restaurant / bar owner
Probable Destiny: Baywatch lifeguard
Pet Peeves: Slow drivers, no parking, multiple choice, Grade 8s, people that ask for money, no gas, my car breaking
Favorite Quotation: "Just take it all one day at a time, 'cause that's all you can do"
Best Memories: Senior girls rugby (DAM SKIPPY), Montreal, 8 months with Tim, summer '96 with Kjekstads (house sitting, electric jello, late nights, murder mystery), Cattle pt., Kingston with JK. Tri-Bond; Salsa, Big Bar, Claremont , Christmas at the Ridge, France '95, Melissa Young (Mt. Washington and Cowichan lake), Sarah Haliday, 16 b-day, ski trips to Washington, White Lightning, car rallies, SMU dances.
Personal Heros: people who can use computers, people who graded before me, my mom

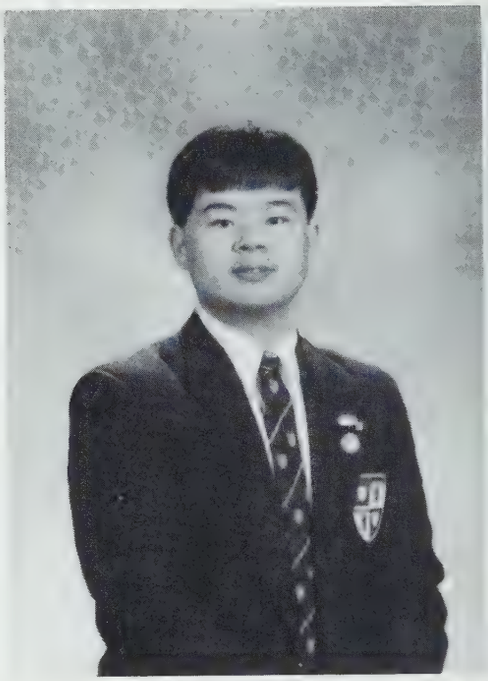
This chick is always happy, positive and a fun person to hang out with. She is definitely not clueless, but could pass as a Baywatch babe any day. (S. Kelly) Courtles is the best hooker GNS will ever have. Whether she is on the rugby field or just hanging out, Courtney is always fun to be around. Summer '96 was the best. - Thanks Malibu! (J.Kjekstad) Courtney can be found in her car, on her phone, with her friends, and sometimes all at the same time. She's a great friend who's always there to talk to or make you laugh.(L. Kjekstad) Courtney is a great friend who will be remembered for her high spirits, good looks and for her abundance of friends. (T. McCall) Courtney's good looks and excellent friendships will be remembered by me and all at G.N.S. (T. McKay)

Name: Chris John Patrick Wabush Mines Charleson III
Years at GNS: 1991-1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: To Find the meaning of life
Probable Destiny: To succeed, but die before telling anyone
Pet Peeves: Bald tires, Pepsi, Masters of the obvious, being misunderstood
Favourite Quote: "Deliver desserts", demanded Nemesis, emended, named,stressed, reviled.
Best Memories: Wallball, Dr. J., Breakwater during storms, Latin 9, Doing nothing in studies, 48 hour Coca-Cola-Poker Binges, Japan....('nuff said), Ed., One Word: BONDATHON!!, Useless statistics, McDicks, Gullible teachers, drive-by Slayerings, Palindromes, Chico's, Tiffanny, 96 hour Coca-Cola-Poker binges, Sub, Open-apple-Bob, P.E. on Niacin, Axis & Allies during Bio class, Gandalf, Frankenstein, Grade 12, sweet lovin', two wheels, squealing, Raistlin, golf balls. Personal Heros: Salvador Dali, Richard Loe, Liberated women everywhere.

Chris will be remembered in the hallowed halls as the Phillipino-Kiwi who took GNS by storm in Grade 7. His upbeat sense of humour and wild taste in women and movies will make him the black sheep of the GNS family for years to come. Don't slow down and remember that if you strive you will succeed. Remember that you're life is going to be special and nothing will stand in your way. Don't change your eccentricities for anyone they will make you famous or at least make you a viable replacement for the drummer of the Residents. Be young, have fun, drink PEPSI Coke.

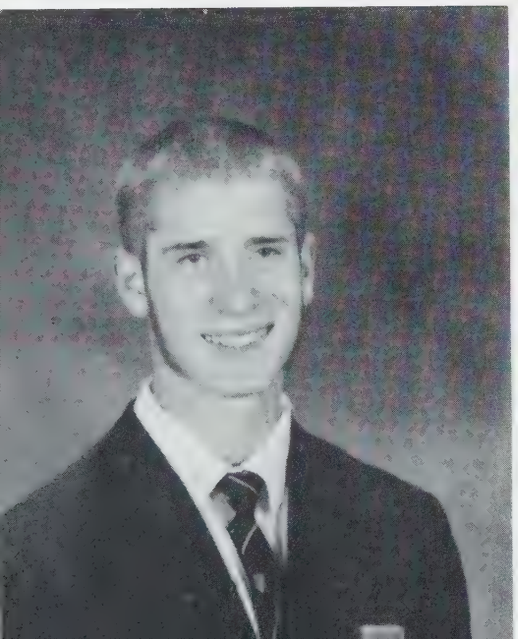
Name: George Chen **House:** WD

George has been an invaluable member of our Jazz and Concert Bands. We wish George the best in the future.



Name: Tarrence Chen
Years at GNS: 95-97
Ambition: Business Man or Psychologist
Probable Destiny: Study in Victoria at least four more years
Pet Peeves: Whenever someone calls me "George". Morning alarmclock .
Best Memories: 95 summer came to CANADA. Second time that I took an airplane, since I was in grade 4. Grade11 Outweek -first time diving. Grade 11 sky club conference - the first dance attanded. Grade 12 Outweek-first time sailing. (It was just terrible)

Tarrance will be remembered with his most naive smile and his most straight-forward personality. There are far too few people in our age are as natural and kind as Tarrance. Go, "Shaw Pong", never forget to call me afterward. (B.Y.)



Name: Sean Doty
Years at GNS: 1987 - 1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: Engineer
Probable Destiny: Stunt double for Barney Gumble
Pet Peeves: Slow drivers, annoying relatives, finding my parents in bars they said they wouldn't be in
Favourite Quotation: "WHAT? A Frenchman in my bowl?"
Best Memories: Big Bar '96, Silverstar '95/'96 (the Wine Cellar), card games in the common room and many other good memories.

During his many years at GNS, Sean has been a friend to many a student. His open and caring attitude have allowed him to fully encompass the GNS atmosphere. His involvement in all co-curricular activities is legendary at the school and the hallways will forever echo high praises from the staff of this ideal GNS student. We wish him luck.

Name: James Gillion
Years at G.N.S: 1994 - 1997 **House**: DF
Ambition: To play ball, and be successful in life
Probable Destiny: Getting my hair permed
Pet Peeves: Holes like Hope and Osoyoos, girls in those towns, jovacs, Smirnoff, saying the same thing as someone else at the same times and getting hit on the head.
Favourite Quotation: "It's a magical world, Hobbes ol' buddy, let's go exploring." - Calvin
Best Memories: Basketball trips: Osoyoos and the girl whales, Hope and the Smorgasbord, Belmont and pizza at Harv's, Tofino and the run, Islands (Okee-dokee then), Prince George and the Provs., and the trips still to be written about, logging road, rookies carrying my bags, Outweek with scrunchie, talks in Socials and Math with Jen, free food, Dave's, almost being killed at Ed. Milne, Art, My time in New Zealand and Charlotte N.C., spring break, the class of '96 in grade 9, all the times in New Zealand I can't remember due to circumstances beyond my control, and finally Suzanne - all the times I spent with you will not be forgotten. Personal Heros: Calvin and Hobbes, Gary Payton, and my Dad
James can be found in one of two places: streaking across the basketball court, or at his locker with Suzanne. James' hilariously annoying presence can be felt in his witty comments, mischievous laugh, or unique manner of greeting (a body slam or something of that sort) - but that's why we love him. We'll miss you Jangles! (J.S.) James' friendly smile and hugs will be greatly missed. Whether he is angry or sad, he always has time to goof around and make everyone else smile. The halls will seem empty without him chatting it up with everyone! I'll miss him too much. (S.J.)

Name: Ross Adam Green
Years at GNS: 1988-1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: To be a bush pilot and professional stage technician
Probable Destiny: To be taking math 12 until I die.
Pet Peeves: Homework, math, Judy, Judy saying "where are my keys? Have you seen my keys Ross?," forgetting my Gerber.
Favourite quotation: " Why procrastinate today when you could procrastinate tomorrow?!"
Best memories: Drama, jazz choir, car rally 96, cast parties, CREW PARTIES, Big Bar, eating lunch with the gang on the back field, being the only secret agent in the history of GNS, proving Judy wrong, Movie fests with Gomer and Hoser, Sailing. Hero: John Henry "DOC" Holiday and the man who invented Coke.
Ross has been a busy and active member of our school community for the years he has been with us. His technical knowledge and sometimes humorous attitude will be greatly missed; along with his Coke.

Name: Alexander Wolfgang Karl Kurt Hertel
Years at GNS: It wasn't called GNS when I started **House:** CM
Ambition: Finding peaceful happiness and bonding with the universal energy.
Probable Destiny: Living in Latin America so long that I forget how to speak English.
Pet Peeves: Injuries, traffic cops, slow drivers, bad refs (BK), losing, homework, not winning the day.
Favorite Quotation: "Did we ax those jovaks or what?" -Mr. Matthews
Best Memories: All those years at the Jr. School, wall ball, fighting for marble, being a bully; Every team I played on, competitions and games, buggers at lunch, every time I drew blood on the field, all those provincial rugby championships, Crimson Tide and Castaways, nailing a drop goal, Grover's victory party, winning the Nationals in Quebec, Umberto, Fat Randy, that desperate bugger, and that sad guy who stopped our bus to ask Justin how to kick at Stanstead, Montreal (both times), rugby with Dave Hannah, Dustin, Matt C-B, Simon, and Justin; All the time I spent with my friends, Jer's stress levels, leading in drafting, studying with Malcolm, driving with Dave, Katie's blood-sugar levels (body checks), getting fit, kickin' it down with Nitbo, the Clan; Fighting the V.C. in 'Nam, the summer of '69, my gang; Roberto's painfully nice attitude, Woody's dirty jokes, Mr. Kirby's sense of adventure, Mr. Matthews' sarcasm, Mr. Langton telling us to read; Moira's laugh; Early morning German with Mrs. McLeod, all my studies, weird substitute teachers, every exam and test I ever took, Flotilla '96, Grad and Aftergrad.
Personal Heroes: My parents, 007, Dave Hannah, Roberto Ducharme, Andrew Mehrtens.
Alex added a lot to GNS. An asset to the rugby team, he played on many provincial championship teams. Alex has a natural talent for succeeding at whatever he does. Whether it's academics, art, or any sport, he often achieves the highest of standards. Most importantly, he learned to get the most out of life. Good luck in the future and I look forward to cruising in our 888's to Daytona. -JK; Alex is constantly partying on the inside. He is nice and genuine, yet underneath it all, there is this raging passion for rocking. Let it out, buddy, let it all out; go wild! -MB; Thanks for all those body checks! It's been great fun pleading for donations, racing cautiously through Oak Bay, off-roading in the Jeeps, and talking to policemen! Your friend, Kathleen; Homie G Albo had a hard core South-Central attitude in enforcing the halls of GNS. Most of all, he was a funny guy to talk to. I'll see you in the hood for years to come! -NNK.

Name: Holly Louise Hilton
Years at G.N.S.: 1993-1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: To succeed in international business
Probable Destiny: To open a burger restaurant in Squamish
Pet Peeves: "Your on crack!"; the 'your such a freak eye'; spam and toilet paper; Web of Knowledge; the video camera in a certain bathroom; Alcoholly.
Best Memories: The PLAN; Dereham Bravehearts; The flying boat incident with BI; Peaches and moving out to the country; destroying things at Oak Bay Marina with CS and BA; Katie's Parties; Sailing with Zeeb; Abs beach; Swifture; Basketball and Field hockey road trips- bootie slap and broccoli man; Flotilla 95' 'connect four'; Kayaking 95' "Angus there's a deer" "Trips over"; Boony; withdrawl and pushups and the Provs; '4 corners in Bob's homeform'; my punk sister; pen fights with MB; The dance of the cell; Parksville 96'; Toronto - the subway system; Cafe Mexico; ice cream; Car Rally 95'; Instructor golfing; Paul's trampoline; Michelle and the fence; The Nationals; That crazy Dallan kid; My 17th Birthday; Skiing; Spanish buds - Nitinito; The Museum; Lindsay's Parties; my crack sister Abby; Independent voyage 96'-- the fridge with AB, SR and PM; fuzzy peaches; All of those awesome days and nights with my terrific friends!

Some people think that Holly was born with defects: she is unable to feel sad, she has trouble spelling the word 'you', and she makes a lot of weird noises. However, those who know her better accept Holly's insanity and learn to love it. She's the most fun a friend could ever be. Stay wild, Hol! I love you, man! (A.R.) Holly, you're a sailing extraordinarie a die hard sports woman, but to me you are a hyperspastic, perma smile, blood sister and a very special friend. May 98' - Raving Party. Love Ya! (B.B.) Holly and her brute strength can be summed up in a grunt. She's outgoing and definitely crazy! I hope the wild times with Holly never end, and I doubt they will (B.I) Fellow Braveheart, The Plan... Whether we are gardening, playing sports or simply attempting to stir up trouble, we always seem to have fun. Your a real friend! (K.B.)

Name: Gwen Hogan
Years at GNS: 1996 - 1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: Living amongst nature where no one will ever find me
Probable Destiny: Teaching swimming lessons
Pet Peeves: Itchy kilts, Grade eights, being asked for ID, Transcontinental plane trips, being mistaken for being Australian, computers, cold weather, being stressed
Favourite Quote: " The ripest peach is the highest on the tree" -- James Whitcomb Riley
Best Memories: Australia, leaving SMS with my brain functioning at a relatively normal level, swimming provincials, ski trips, white water kayaking, Outweek '96, having the basement to myself, leaving Port Hardy, Moorecroft, Courtney's ability to deal with flat tires, swimming with dolphins, receiving my Canadian Driver's Licence, playing mindless card games in the common room

Gwen joined us from the depths of St. Margaret's and has since regained her sanity. Her cheery smile always brightened up the common room along with her wild stories form SMS (TM) Gwen was our latest addition and soon was able to adapt to us. We fought divided and conquered and lived to tell about!!! (CC)

Name: Michelle Laurel Hounslow
Years at G.N.S: 1985-1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: To go to the moon
Probable Destiny: Executive in the tiger balm industry
Favorite Quotation: "If you're gonna walk on thin ice, you might as well dance." "Hakuna Matata" Timon and Pumbaa
Best Memories: All of Grade seven (granny tanny); trashing a bathroom with Lotty; the sign mission in the heatmobile; my enchantress; "Tuesday Night" with Annie; broccoli man; UBC '95 (Earls with B, KT, and Krista); UBC '96 (Chinese food and the drunks in #1211); FH provincials '96; the Roughriders; Tomatoes FH; Robin-UBC-Pit-Mask; Tragically Hip '95 with Em and Sam; "Shotgun"; Tragically Hip '96 in Vancouver; granville uh no; the Jetta; Chris' DQ token; Outweek '95: Barkley Sound (trip's over); Flotilla '96 (Fatass, Anners, Honkers, and Skippa); "Whatever floats your boat"; corn pops; lunar eclipse; driving with Sam (sidewalks, ditches, and those stop signs); Turkey Head; "Heck yeah/no"; Jazzfest '95 and '96 with KT; Muriel; 54-50; New Years '95 and '96; sailing with Annie; Gugin; Rave-Steam; inaugural girls rugby team; my first almost try; Quebec '97; after car rally '95 with Sam; dream team car rally '96 in the olds; Silverstar '96; snowboarding with Moe; Marigold and Millhouse. Personal Heroes: Ross and his monkey, Dave Matthews, and Dr. B.

Ah Merchelly! Mel's been here for 12 years and her hair hasn't really changed; still ponytails. Melly is crazy. Don't let her girlish exterior fool you. She can spray raisins at thirty paces and has the ability to floor fully grown rugby players. We made it Melly, love ya. Cheers! (C.N.) Mel Belle is one of the craziest people in the school. She is a lover of good chick-flicks, Tuesday nights, Abba, corn pops and sailing. Melly makes me laugh all the time with her crazy antics in the halls, in Math or when playing with my dog (sorry about your boxers!). Take care, Thelma! (A.V.) Michaelletto makes turtle faces and monkey that would bring a smile to even the saddest of faces. Sorry Mel, I gotta say it: I saw you first. (A.R.) Oh Michelly, defence buddy, life here at GNS wouldn't have been the same with out you : all those near death experiences, chinese food, your silly smile, itz a wet head and just chatting (even if it makes me late)!! Your prowess on the rugby and hockey pitch will be sadly missed. -- Go for Gold Melly! (S.R.)

Name: Karen Chuo-Chun Hsu
Years at G.N.S: 1995 - 1997 **House:** CM
Amibition: Sit, eat, play, wait and die.
Probable Destiny: Sales or housewife.
Pet Peeves: Pretty Anna. In debt. Phone bill. Window shopping. Every Sunday night. Snobby people.
Favorite quotes: A vanish is the starting of the growth.
Best Memories: My locker in Gr11.The study with Emily and Franck on Friday morning(Gr11). The Gr11 math class with Mena in Mr.Ormerod's. One of the parties in Brian's house. Making fun of "Pretty Anna" with Emily. Spring break in Vancouver '96. S.K.Y. club conference 96. Staying in Gary and Debe's house. The two weeks with Rebecca in summer. Red Robbons with Tony and Rebecca. Shopping with I- Jan in Vancouver until I was in debt. Long weekends.Shopping in Take-one. What Debe told Brian about his birthday party. The study with James.

Karen is a funny girl (always making fun of me). I have a great time with her. I will not forget the time we spent together. Since she is leaving, that also means I can only making fun of "Pretty Anna" by myself ; at least I can have a whole apple now, and not to share it with someone.....Emily Yang - Karen will always be remembered for her laziness and sleepiness in the morning, and the energy and the excitement that she brings in the afternoon- even though we do not see her that often for the first two periods in the morning. Just kidding! I will miss her once we leave the school.....Brian Yang

Name: Briana Illingworth
Years at GNS: 1992 - 1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: To raise a colony of 3-fingered super humans to build the Vunnel
Probable Destiny: Engineer
Pet Peeves: Malcolm's driveway; no exam outlines; warm bananas (& the ughh!).
Favourite Quotation: "Actually, there are two types of people in this world: those who believe there are only two kinds of people in this world, and those who are smart enough to know better." Tom Robbins
Best Memories: Grade 8 and BL; ski trips; Yutaro's with CC & Yoki; drug raid at Manning Park (home of the 6'2" axe murderer); crack crack; Annie's fish; outweeks; Flotilla '95 and the heroine; everlasting Battleship with PM; New Zealand '95; field hockey and provs '96; cycling; grade 10 lunchtime ice cream runs; car rally '95; Christian's house; spam & toilet paper; near death boat incident with HH; the driveway incident (thanks BA and MB!); grade 10 lunchtime soccer; my 17 birthday; grade 11 hall chats with ST, & BL; woman to womans with ST; pickled monkeys; driving home from Whistler with BI; always lost in Vancouver; Shad UNB '96; EndFest '93 & '96; ghost driver with KC & BL; Headwall with GG; Guadeloupe, ch; Toy Story & Xmas lights with DW & CJ; Dallan

Briana has and will succeed in everything she does if she keeps in mind to watch for flying boats. (HH) Briana's composure and patience in sport and study have her excel at everything she puts her mind to. She is never satisfied with second best and always gives her best to her friends. (BB) Briana works hard for what she wants. She will do well and have fun at whatever she chooses to do with her life. (PM) Briana, a force to be reckoned with, either on the hockey pitch or on the biking trails. Is there anything she can't do? Teacher of small children, skier extraordinaire and an all round great friend. We will miss your beaming smile. (DW)

Name: Trevor Jones
Years at GNS: 1995-1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: Professional Cyclist/Bicycle Designer
Probable Destiny: Kabuki Cab Driver or Bicycle Courier
Pet Peeves: Political correctness; people who take themselves too seriously; pompous, know-it-all suck-ups
Favorite quotations: "I am the great Cornholio" - Beavis of Beavis and Butthead, "What happened?"- The stoner kid in the movie "Kids"
Best memories: I'd have too say that outweek would have to take the cake, especially this year: nothing like a week in the woods with Woody to get you ready for a hard year of work. Winning my two school cycling championships (it may be three, I don't know yet) was also a bonus, even though one of them was for Lansdowne (one of my many flaws). Having an eccentric librarian is way cooler than the usual anal-retentive variety, and I guess the learning part of the school thing wasn't half bad either. I don't really know what i'm going to do next year, but if I decide to go to school, I'm sure I'll see some of you at Uvic, and if I don't, you'll probably see me out in the streets dodging cars and buses on my bike on my way to Duncan or something. My personal heroes are Superman, Chris Boardman (for those who do t know, he's a British cyclist who grew up on bangers, mash, fish and chips (it's amazing that he's still alive after eating all that mess), and can still break world records with his hands tied behind his back), My Dad, and David Watson. Later Grad '97.

Name: Nitin N. Kharé
Years at G.N.S. 1994-1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: Chartered accountant for IBM
Probable Destiny: Hustla, used car salesman, Empress taxi driver
Pet Peeves: Not having a car, Chem 11-12 by correspondence, Jer not driving in the rain, finding a D.D., having to babysit, parents' dinner parties, Oak Bay drivers, road blocks.
Best Memories: Four studies a week in Grade 10, Outweeks '95-'96, Mrs. McCullough's Bio 10 class, most parties, that night we all had to sleep in Dave's van because no one wanted to drive', going to Santa's Breakfast after the night in the Van, New Year's parties '95-'97 - other nights with the E.I.'s, Ben's van driving to Washington, shooting stick at Jer's, Al pretending he's a gangster, Al at Annie's party, Jnr. and Sr. Rugby seasons , Ben at my party, Vancouver trips with the guys ('nucks and Grizz), Halloween '94 and '95, getting picked on for being the only guy in Spanish 11, ripping apart Dave's car in Eastside Vancouver, trips to India, ten studies a week, my first time snowboarding in Grade 11, "Hot ticket Tuesday" at the movies, holidays, 'bottom of the barrel' in the common room, when I just don't know.

Nitin joined us at G.N.S. in Grade 10. He came from the big city of Vancouver, but if I didn't know him and I wasn't his friend I would've believed he came from South Central L.A. He will be remembered for his hilarious and sometimes absurd antics as well as being a (somewhat) dedicated student. He loves to party. You've been a great friend, Homie. (J.K.) Homie G. Nitbo was a perfect combo of party animal / academic / low-down gangster. The halls of GNS certainly won't be the same without G enforcing them. See you in the hood - (Albo)

Name: Jeremy Malcolm King
Years at GNS: Lifer (1985-1997) **House:** DF
Ambition: Welding/Aircraft sheet metal - To build the first 888.
Probable Destiny: Part-owner with Dave (Raphael) in a "Retro-European Fine Furniture Shop".
Pet Peeves: Unpunched/unstapled handouts, import cars, Oak Bay drivers, rain, people who borrow pens/paper, brutal seats in chemistry, verbally abused by Woody, Mr. Tuckwell's teaching style.
Best Memories: Bump-draftin' at Daytona, verbally abusing Woody, biology with Mrs. Macaulay (maybe Woody's), grade 7 & Junior Boys School, Wallball and Whipwar, art class with Ms.J, grade 8 - science fair, Shad Valley 96', Brickyard 400 (94' & 96'), grade 9 English, 17 trees, Al?, physics with Mr. Ducharme , Neil teaching us how to build explosives, physics worksheets, cruisin' with Nitin, 96' Outweek, basketball, Snr. rugby, PNE - physics class, LSRs, MP, parties, driver's license, the Gryphon, computers 8/math 9 with Mr. Langton, 13 studies a week, calculators, card games, scholarship dinners, P.E. classes, Hallowe'en, Roy Jones Jr. winning light-heavyweight championship, "Boxing After Dark", Al Jr. blowin'em all away in 1994, NASCAR racing on Al's computer, Dave's (Raphael's) split personality, driving the street rod back from Vancouver in 94', my locker, shooting stick, 9 T.V.'s, & my IROC-Z.

Of all the people I've ever known, Jeremy is the most organized, and has the strongest work ethic. Artist, athlete, scholar, Jeremy is always reliable. Never once did he forget about an assignment or test, nor has he ever let anyone down. Whether playing pool, drag racing (just kidding, Mrs. King), or keeping Woody in check, Jer is always fun to be around. See you at Daytona.

Name: Stephen Erwin Frederick Lerch
Years at G.N.S. 1991 - 1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: To be a rich doctor with a hot young wife.
Probable Destiny: To be a snowboard bum and have a hot wife.
Pet peeves: Slow drivers, Cook St., photo radar vans, the radio in my car, unfriendly people, school, the door on my car, bad rap, and the dirty, smelly, common room.
Favorite Quotation: "You have to forget about what other people say, when you're supposed to die, or when you're supposed to be loving. You have to forget about all these things. You have to go on and be crazy. Craziness is like heaven." - Jimi Hendrix
Best Memories: "When We All Came Into Destiny", in Penticton with Chris and Ash, the huge fire (watch for falling wood), snow boarding with destiny, knee boarding with destiny, parasailing on destiny, letters from Ash and Petra., my many trips to Europe with Stiegl and GoBer bier, I like to go on trips, bun hunting with Chris, just plain hunting, may the hunt go on, driving with Bryan (what a rush!), the opposite sex. Big bar ranch, Bryan's wardrobe, all the ski trips, Mt. Doug beach, my car, getten Willie the Wonderful Wire haired Wiener dog, liven in a cool old party house, liven in Gordon Head, watchen the stars and the sun rise with Ash, riding at Mt. Washington.

Steve was one of a kind. Of which kind? No one knows, but the people who knew him best. Those who replied to the overwelming "OIY's" being yelled down the halls. Only they know the mystery of Steve Lerch. He will be remembered for being a charmer to all those women out there. Steve could often be found chillen at the Cook St. Starbucks with a groovy cup of coffee in his hand and a smoke in the other. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, going on trips and hacking. This wild snowboard type guy will always be searching for U.F.O.'s, and the sight of green water. Without his cheerful laugh echoing through the buildings of our school, life at G.N.S. just won't be the same and everyone (except the grade 8's and 9's) will miss him. See ya, man. (Chris and Bryan)

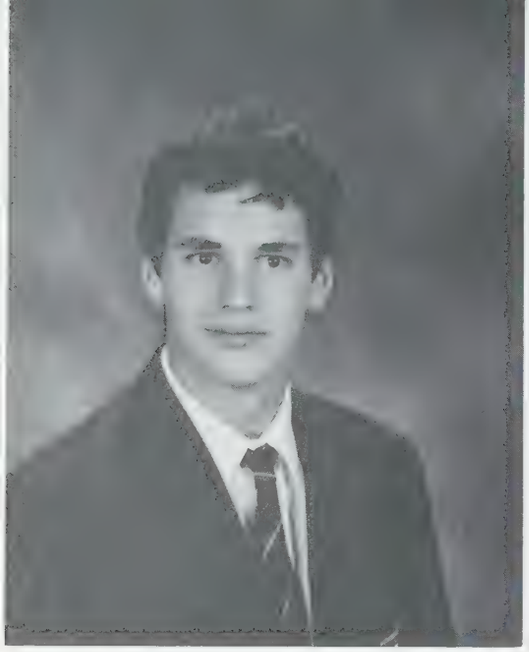
Name: Michael Eric Li
Years at G.N.S. 1987 - 1997 **House**: DF
Ambition: To be an electrical engineer
Probable Destiny: A sanitary engineer
Pet Peeves: Macintrashes, rap, warm seats, correspondance, English, no car
Favourite Quote: "If you want to know what God thinks about money, look at the people he gives it to." - Old Irish Saying
Best Memories: Glenlyon beach, sailing, kayaking, canoeing, wallball, whipwar, skipping stones, Mr. Bowers, Gr. 7, All of Gr. 8, Camp Narnia, Manning Park, Kayaking in Barkley and Clayquot, Gr. 9 Latin classes, Having Woody for 5 years straight, Band trip to Seattle, Mr. Tuckwell's teaching..., Chris' van, Chris' corners, Homeform, Techno Kings, Doing nothing in studies, Flying Business, Gandalf, Mr. Britten's computer classes, Gr. 10 studies, Master of the Obvious, Arguments with Mr. Clazie, the common room, Gonzales beach, Coca-Cola, the Stellar, Tiffany's, Chico's, McEverything, Sub, Jolly Ranchers, Ed, P.E.11.

Name: Scott Lucyk
Years at GNS: 1992-1997 **House:**WD
Ambition: Law
Probable Destiny: The Road Less-Travelled
Pet Peeves: Traffic Signs; Flashing Lights in the Rear-View; Apathy; Hypocrites; Salsa Groupies; The Morning After
Favourite Quotes: "Some make it happen. Others watch it happen. Most wonder what the hell happened." -Anonymous Wise Man "I have often wished I had the time to cultivate modesty...but I am too busy thinking of myself." -Sitwell
Best Memories: Deerfield; The Barton Boys; The River City; PIT Crew: One-Six, The Palace; Captain Morgan's; Warm Nights with Jack D.; Time with God Personal Heroes: R.W. E., Don Cherry, Zeus

Scott is a hockey bum who will succeed in the game of life.

Name: Michael Lum
Years at GNS: 1992 - 1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: To coach skating and something in programming
Probable Destiny: Computer teacher
Pet Peeves: People who say I should swear, people who think figure skating is for girls, no money, stress, computers that crash for no reason, people who think "How are you?" is the same as "Hi!"
Favourite Quotation: "Today's dreams are tomorrow's fantasies...if you work hard enough."
Best Memories: All Outweeks with the exception of the first (Narnia), Ms. Chatterton's English class, the Japan trip, Mrs. Pallan (my first homeform), cramming for exams, teasing Raymond, talking to Danielle, Friday Chemistry classes (Mr. Tuckwell), Mr. Calderwood and Mr. Britten teasing one another, Jeremy/Mike feuding with Mr. Calderwood and school in general (really!)

Mike arrived here in Grade 8 and ever since then he has always been a happy and enegetic individual. He did really well and being such an optimist has made all the difference. He has a great sense of humour and makes the best of the worst situations. Mike is surprisingly outgoing and is very friendly when you get to know him and I know that success will follow him no matter what road he takes!



Name: Cameron Donald MacPherson
Years at GNS: 1989 - 1997 **House**: WD
Ambition: To stop working and live comfortably
Probable Destiny: To not work and starve
Pet Peeves: Refs, moods, Sweet Luvin', Black Sundays, Provs '95 (Rug+Bask)
Favorite Quotation: "Tell him that the truth will help him live with less"-Trag
Best Memories: Montreal(x2), specialized coffees, understanding 7-11 clerks, tag-along road checks, Provincials '95, my bilingual experience with various French teachers, Hope and all the other holes we visit, my first acceptance, Peer C and topics, 36 Hour Coca-Cola-Poker Binges, various unforgettable experiences that I forgot, losing my lead because I lack "presence", the top of Joffre and long trip down, BONDATHON, Life and Times of Josephine, Broken Islands, friends along the way, campfires and long rainy beaches.
Personal Heroes: Josephine,Gandhi, Rainbow, people who believe.

I would like to be remembered as a happy go lucky guy, never stressin' or being overly worried. All my love goes out to the Grad class. Don't grow up and don't slow down.

Name: Paul Robert Mais
Years at G.N.S.: 1992 - 1995;1996 - 1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: To be the next James Bond
Probable Destiny: Sailing Instructor in Barbados
Pet Peeves: Dumb drivers, B.C. Ferries, automatics, no wind days
Favourite Quote: 'You haven't won the race if, in winning, you have lost the respect of your competition' -Paul Elvestrom
Best Memories: Independent Voyage '96-(Sam's Freezer Cleaning Inc., Holly's magazine); being boycotted; Rowing at Mt Doug; Home Room buds; Manning Park-(forgetting to set an alarm that morning); working for the school; soccer on the back field; Flotilla - (Seeker's speed secrets); all those elders: James Bowden, Sean Brigden, Jeremy Smith to name a few; Flavio's bus driving; Nathan J. Geminiano; Camp Narnia; Absolutely everything and everyone I have met through sailing!; all the things I've left out.

Don't be fooled by Paul's quiet and modest personality because when the mood strikes, he can be one crazy boy! Although he can be wild and unpredictable, you can always count on Paul to be a great friend. Constantly caught in his own apathy, graduating from high school may give Paul time for the best of both worlds: rowing and sailing. Paul's presence makes the school friendlier, and it's sad to see him go.
(B. Illingworth) Those who have seen the real side of Paul will not be deceived by his shy, quiet side. "You're the Freak eye," although never appreciated, shows those who receive it what Paul really feels. Good luck always, Love Ya! (H. Hilton) 'Paul is an incredibly suave guy, and that is an understatement.' (S. Brigden)

Name: Alec Matthews
Years at GNS: 1990-1997 **House**: CM
Ambition: To direct a play with Ms. Treloar designing lights
Probable Destiny: Changing light bulbs in the PAC at age 46
Pet Peeves: Speling; Warm toilet seats; Frozen computers; Oak Bay Drivers; Getting caught; People who indicate when they are going strait; limits on grad write-ups
Favourite Quotation: "There is nothing, absolutely nothing better, then simple messing around in boats"
Best Memories: Blazer wind riding on the breakwater; Mr. Lidstone; Custard show; Getting lost at camp Narnia; Lisa; Choir Trip; Band Trip; Walking with Annie, Holly, and Eleanor; Our "secret seven"; Getting married; Mark & Tony - Moo; car rally in the Talon; past midnight talks with Annie & Jen; Peer Counselling training; Julia's flag; Savannah; Movies at Amy's; Amy's attempt to assassinate me; New year's at Becky's; Outweek with Captain Simon; Clio's hot tub; Barclay sound; Phoenix bulking agent; Passing out at PC training L2; Complaining to Jen about stupid things; Outweek with open apple Bob!!; Sutter happy Becky; Movies at Lindsey's; Mr Ducharme; Car rally that we actually won-Jen,Tegan, Nicky, Jippy, Chris, and our faithful Quest; Icetrek; Gas pedal Gibbs; Study's spent sailing; BOND-A-THON!!!; All plays in the PAC; Dances; Grad 97!!!
Personal Hero: Paul Elvstrom, James Bond

Alec, our technical-know-it-all has graced his classes with the his ever present search for answers, or snoring as the class permits. When he's not challenging Einstein's theroy of relativity, or a possibly a mere teacher, he will be found crusted with sea salt from another afternoon claiming he has learned how to sail. Many still believe the booth is actually Alec's own personal bedroom with occasional visits from those assuming there was technical equiptment present. To top it all off he occasionally has time to listen or donate hugs to the needy. Well Al, whatever will the PAC do without you?

Name: Jill McIvor
Years at G.N.S. 1992-1997 **House:**DF
Ambition: To be a pediatric nurse and be outragously wealthy
Probable Destiny: Forever looking for my ambition
Pet Peeves: Warm seats, mondays, harasssment from Sean
Best Memories: Being sent to the four corners of the Earth with H.H, S.D and M.A, Playland with T.M, mold growing contests in lockers, all outweeks; Manning Park, flotilla, Big Bar ranch, Math 9 with Savage, snow ball fights with K.S, body mutilating day with K.S, T.M, trips to Sooke Potholes and Thetis Lake, driving around in the grey monster, Thursday's bagel day, pulling cords, building a time capsule, green drinks and giraffes, swimming in the ocean, dances, parties, and just hanging with my friends.

What can I say about Jill? Well, she's one of those people that would fall under the heading of "brutally honest". Jill is an independent fun-loving person who has a special love for highlighters and psychodelic paraphenalia. Jillybean is the partay animal most often seen swerving over the road, multi-colored hair flying. Here is a person you shouldn't go without. Jill is not only extremely fun to be with, but she truly is a caring girl. Her bubbling box of laughter is always open and if Jill was a crayon-box she would be the root-beer scented one. Jill posseses the rare talent of being able to simultanously party and get the honor roll. Don't let her cherub like face deceive you, this girl has a wild side. (C.N, J.S, T.M, M.S, K.S)

Name: Tegan McMartin
Years at G.N.S. 1986 - 1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: Photographer
Probable Destiny: London Drugs Photo-finisher
Pet Peeves: Wet willies, warm chairs, being cold, being run-over, erg tests
Favourite Quotation: "Mehh" - Murphy / Nicky
Best Memories: Gr. 8 French with Schmid; Haley's language; boat trips with Kim; Bowron Lakes with Lucy; Jen's Gr. 2 incident; Mr. Steele's mazes & cherry drops; all of Junior School; Manning Park; Nicky, Jen & the wagon; girls' nights; Chris, Jy, & the Meteor; candystriping with Kim; ROWING; Jay; VCRC; Choir trips (Toronto); Playlands with Jill, etc; the "Stegan" era; Mrs. Wilson; the Smirnoff story; Silver Star '96; Oak Bay Tea Parties; Science 9 with Langton; Homeform with "Neil"; parties at Lindsay's; piercings; 5:00 am practices with Marina,Jen, & Nicky; times with Cat; Walter & Choir 9; Woodchuck Tues.; all other gigs; Kaual; DQ; Jippy - (Chucky); car rallies; discovering males can't take a practical joke; Gr. 11 PE; carol services; Anthro 11; Flotilla '96 with an awesome crew; dances; disco; common room game; bumming rides; skiing / snowboarding; summer '96; my phenomenal punctuality; everyone in my Gr.9 class who left; dying hair; kickboxin' & beatdowns with Dad. Personal Hero: Chewy

Tegan the blond bombshell will be remembered for her big smile, her cackling laugh, and her good nature. (J.M.) Our resident disco queen can be found carving down the slopes in winter or becoming the next Kathleen Heddle. Teeg is simply the best friend anyone could ask for. (J.S.) She keeps me calm, which is a feat in itself, and I will miss her wonderful laugh and sophisticated sense of humour. G.N.S. was damn lucky to have her! (M.S.) Teeg is totally freakin' hilarious and a guaranteed good buddy. I love her Pisces energy and her fear of Chucky. Fun memories with Teeg will always be remembered looking back at my G.N.S. years. I wish you maximum happiness, dude. (Jippy)

Name: Wylie Blyth Mitchell
Years at G.N.S.: 1993-1997 **House:**WD
Ambition: To be in a Kokanee beer commercial
Probable Destiny: To be a Budweiser janitor
Pet Peeves: Slow drivers, skiers, warm toilets, anyone who dislikes VW's, Smirnoff in Windsor park; being d.d.; Capitalist pigs; clams and poo; Mike's toys;
Favourite Quote:"Gloovin"; "So long as the state exists there is no freedom. When there is freedom, there will be no state" Lenin.
Best Memories: "The Boys" (J.P,S.B,M.A, P.C,T.T, I. S-P); Ben's Galiano Party; Puke fest with Steve on Galiano; Four by fouring with Steve; Expensive cigars; The Hip; Rage Against The Machine; Cloud nine; Bowling with M.J; censored game in the common room; Amos T. Wagner; Cha Cha; 2 black, 2 native; Manning park drug bust; Japan trip; Elsey McNaughty; Mildered the MG; The Jeep; Bella; Blondes; The many women; Gigs; Road trips; Rugby; Simo's and KD's with S.B; Cam in home form; Breaking my ankle stealing a pink Flamingo while chasing Bella; Rip Cits; Working on Galiano; The many Party's; Powder King; Silver Star; Snowboarding in general; Commando row with Ian on flottila '96; Dukes of Hazzard; Silver Star '96+'97; Katie's grad; Bustin' outa dis institution; Lindsay's parties; Dave's kegger; Pulling Rockfords; Leaving this intitution of learning; GRAD 97. Personal Hero: B.B. King; Blues Brothers; Bob and Doug McKenzie; Martin Luther King

It would be very hard for you to come to this school and not notice Wylie. His sense of humour and spirit have definitely affected us whether you were picked on by him as a grade eight or you picked on him when he was in grade eight. MAY THE FORCE BE WITH YOU WYLIE!(JP) Wylie will always be remembered for his vast knowledge of useless stuff. I envy Wylie for many things, his hair, his cheeziness and the fact that everybody always remembers his name instead of mine. I love ya man, hope you get a car before you pass on. (SMWB) Testify! Over the years Wylie has gradually aquired an urban myth status. He is without a doubt the grooviest, zaniest starchild in G.N.S. history. Yo brotherman, the revolution will always be ours. (PC)

Name: Nicky A. Newsome
Years at G.N.S.: 1987 - 1997 **House:** WD (the best)
Ambition: Elementary teacher
Probable Destiny: Mother of 8
Pet Peeves: Failing to keep right of the traffic circle, blond jokes, getting up
Favorite Quotation: "MEHH" - Murphy
Best Memories: Gr. 3 with Mrs. McAuley, Gr. 4 with Jen, Cat and the 'Ego project', Alicia, Gr. 7 dances, debating with El, Peggy, Jean Claude & Raul, Cloud 9, back stage with Cat and Jeff, angel wings, Manning Park, Toronto choir, subways with Holly, Geekville "Is that you?', L.W.'s hot tub, Annie's party on Saltspring, the Wagon, L.W.'s 17th birthday party, late nights at D.Q. with T.M. and J.S., summer '96, Australia '96, Math with Mrs. Wilson, Murph, Woodchuck Tuesday groupies, Jen's 'bikini top', Live, Windsor, Girl Nites, Barbs with Linz, Candy Striping, oldies, dances, Teeg's pink Kool aid era, guys who can't take a joke, Club Fed, Socials with Linz, watermelon with Linz, Big Bar, 'rebels without a cause', English guys, getting lost in Gordon Head with Linz, Chris & Jy and the Meteor, controversial questions, car rallies, Wed. night , rowing with M.S., J.S., and T.M., pasta parties, bush parking with Jill N., Spanish with Chris, the girls, Nitinito, Nathan G., Grade 12. My personal heroes are my mom , dad and Murphy.

Nicksters, the blond beauty who can't help but be liked for her 'blond moments' and sense of humour. She's a choir pro, an awesome travelling companion (uh oh! I think I left my ticket in the bathroom in Honolulu), and an enthusiastic rower. No one will ever forget Nicky and her wagon. (L.W.) Nicky never ceases to amaze us with her stellar navigating skills and with her bright, beautiful self. She is an extremely caring individual who will be remembered for her pasta parties and her angel cards. Farewell, fine friend! Frances and 'tramp' await you! (T.M.)

Name: Charlotte 'Lotty' Bunty Northeast
Years at GNS: 1985 - 1997 (lifer) **House:** DF
Ambition: Professional stage actor
Probable Destiny: Welcome wagon at the Wax Museum (only I'm real)
Pet Peeves: Morons, whiners, wannabes, label-freaks, injustice, basically people
Favourite Quoteaton: "Smells like hot bums." -my mum
Best Memories: All of Junior school except grade 5, Being a terror in grade 7, "kick a grade 7 day", hymn singing in jr. school and making all the religious words sound rude, primary choir, going nuts with Melly, Jen peeing her pants (or tunic) in gr. 2, orienteering new people (Tegan) and telling everyone about Jen peeing her pants, "The Miracle Worker", that time Melly and I spewed raisins all over the music room, grade 10, chem. 10 with Brie and Tuckwell, Writing 10 ("Yuppie Yard!"), goofing off with Matt and Simon, "Leader of the Pack," Seattle Outweek (truth or dare anyone?), meeting Jippy and Courtney, "Little Sister", Community Rec 11 (curling and afghans), being taught by Ms. Chats, and too many stupid things I made up and someone found funny to list. Personal Heroes: Janis Joplin, Morrissey, Wallace & Grommit

Lotty has graced the halls of G.N.S. for 12 years now and, boy, is she ready to leave. Lotty can dazzle us with her performance and her brilliance. She knows all (except math) and tells all too. If you get a chance, get this girl's autograph, she's bound to be famous. From reading rockets in grade 2 to grade 12 slumming: the final frontier. See ya on the big screen and we'll see ya on the flip side. -Tegan McMartin, Jill McIvor, Michelle Hounslow

If she'd lived in medieval times, she would have been a scop. Her stories and jokes entertain her listeners, and she can always make us laugh. After twelve years of GNS, I know this mighty little actress is ready to break outta here and show the world what she's made of. Lotty is a very true and loyal friend, and I wish her every happiness in the world. (Joanne)

Name: Jeffrey David Paulson
Years at GNS: 1989-1997 **House:**CM
Ambition: To be an Architect
Probable Destiny: To move pianos for Dave's Keyboards forever
Pet Peeves: Everything Mike owns, bad gigs, being DD, Oak Bay drivers, waiting for ski season.
Best Memories: All outweeks (including the kinikinik bust), SKi trips, parties, Junior boys, the five dollar boat race, car rallies, Japan, Bella, Pioneer, first nights of summer at Mike's avec Steve, Ty, Pat, and Wylie, Gigs, Ian's crazy scense of humour and love of sheep, cruzin' in the ol'multi, crusin' in the celica, driving overuplands cirlce with alot of people and gettin caught by the cops, Lindsay's formal functions, Preasure Cooker, Cloud 9, the grungier daze, Vancouver trips to see Hugh, Riding bikes before I had a license, A-hole in the common room, Cigar nights, Skiing with Wylie at Powder King, fridge raids at lunch, McDonalds, Lollapalooza, Furnace Face, 54 40, Collective Soul, Primus, and of course Woodchuck Tuesday, Most of the guys I spent most of my time with: Wylie, Steve, Pat, Ty, and Mike, Liz, The times I spent with Nathan Geminiano while he was here. Personal Heros: Obi-wan

Jeff will be remembered as the Tommy wearing, guitar playing, Celica driving cat that he is. He has a certain aura about him that makes him unforgettable to everyone, including the people he meets if only for a brief period of time. Most importantly Jeff is very loyal to his friends, when he isn't forgetting us for his girlfriend. Do to this we raise a glass to you. "DON'T YOU GO CHANGIN!" -WM

Name: Joanne Penhale
Years at GNS: 1995-1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: To combat crime
Probable destiny: A con-artist
Pet Peeves: SS11, smelly people, white denim, rich kids who steal, impetigo, gloomy weather, when people act stupid, my random absent-mindedness, HF, no iron.
Best Memories: The pre-GNS years, Seattle, Finding out I won a math contest, Com. Rec. 11, Bio. 11, goofin' off with Lotty, waffles and Kim, summer, hangin' with Binky, Teeeg, Lins, coxing, Mrs. Jenkins and um... Lit, KGBs with Karen, laughing, having a good time and all that crap, & hopefully the post-GNS years. LSF. So long GNS. Heroes: Grandma and Grandpa

Joanne aka Jippy is content with a good joke, somme hyper friends & a crack at her juicer. Jippy has the outward appearance of an angel with all the vices of the Devil himself. She hopes to be a crime buster, so if anyone plans on committing a crime, you know who to pay off. Good luck, Jippy, with all your dreams, especially that one of traipsing around the world with a pet monkey by your side. (C.N.) The monkey girl: her smile will brighten up your gloomiest day. Her insane, twisted and upside-down sense of humour will make you laugh till you cry. She is sincerely the truest friend a girl could have. (B.B.) And she's a totally freaky Chucky. (T.M.)

Name: Samantha Jane Reid
Years: 1993 - 1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: To always be happy
Probable Destiny: To be a barn bum and be late for everything.
Pet Peeves: Slow oak bay drivers, stop signs, green mouldy fridges, wet feet
Best Memories: Manning Park!!; Big Bar 95: Independent Adventure '96 with H.H., A.B., P.M.; tree's that bite - "I think I need stitches"; cleaning "the fridge"; Field hockey '94 and '96; UBC, Chinese food and the drunks in room #1211; provs '96, short hockey kilt with Bronwyn, the Roughriders; Wednesday nights before choir with KT; dancing, McGee; Driving with Mel, actually just driving; chats with ST; Lindsays formals; Holly's parties; all good parties; Salsa with Courts; HF with Macmillian/Girard and my homeform buds!; gossip sesh with Cor!; apres car rally with Mel; Barn hiding; getting rides with KT, SW; New Years '95/'96; X-mas holidays in hot places; skiing with MS; first ever girl's rugby team; going to Quebec '97; Safeway Boy; getting stalked by old man with EH; just chatting with everyone and all those other times I shouldn't mention and those which are still to come!!

Sleeping beauty truly understands the meaning of fun in all that she does. Thanks for making GNS a more interesting place to come (love always DS) Sammy is the best defence buddy around. Sam i am is a wet head and we know how to have fun in Math with Chinese food. Just don't drive with her if you want to be alive tomorrow. Let's find Ray, honey, slurp slurp!! (MH) Rain of shine, you will always see Sam smiling. Whether she is body checking some "poor innocent girl" in the hall way, or showing up twenty or thirty minutes late for class, Sam is always full of mischief and ready for any adventure! She is a true friend who knows how to enjoy life to its fullest. Take care Sammy (Love Kathleen!) Samuelle, rugby player extrodinaire, is constantly arriving late for class (her sister's fault, of course!) However, she's always super happy and rarely in a bad mood. Keep smiling, Sammy! (AV) Possibly the nicest person ever to darken my door way. Never in a bad mood, always smiling. My Salsa buddy for life! A joy to drive and drive with! Coombs 97'! (CC)

Name: Paul Ryzuk
Years at GNS: 1985-1997(lifer) **House**: WT
Ambition: To ruthlessly rule the four points of the compass.
Probable Destiny: To make compasses for Coleman.
Pet Peeves: No signals,warm cokes, the Red Ego, the Boog, mac's and mac lovers
Favourite Quote: "Some men see things as they are and say 'why?'....I dream things that never were and say 'why not?'."
Best Memories: Blazer wind-ridin', trashin' Macs, BTO on GTO, Beachwars I-IIII, the 'ole slate mine, Cross-Country Canada on the Apple IIe's, "$2.21", "$2.76", "Thankyou, please drive through", BOND-A-THON, Furlind Boote (sp?), Squealin' Wheelies, The Lounge, Debatin', Slayer, tracks, 97.3, huddling with frozen turkeys in the back of a truck for warmth, water-bombs at 2 AM, Langford, PUNC '96 (get it?), Coca-Cola poker binges, Uncle Fester, chats, johnnbgood, Drama journals, Axis & Allies during bio class, Dukin', sweet luvin', Oldies, Big-Daddy and his minions, the call of the Pimp, Payless, the food at Narnia, serving my time, David Letterman, winning the Oscar and the Nobel. My personal heroes are Vanderbilt, Rockerfeller, JFK and the cast and crew of the Weather Network.

Fine young laddy Paul has done his best through truth and courage. Black silky soft hair has made Paul a favorite with many .His intense dislike of the NDP party and Unions will be long remembered. Convenience stores in the vicinity of GNS will definitely go into debt as Paul moves into university. We all wish Paul the best of luck in his quest to rule the world. He certainly wouldn't have much luck making compasses as he can hardly put together a two piece puzzle.

Name: Ian Scott-Polson
Years at GNS: 1991 - 1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: To become a high paid lawyer
Probable Destiny: Streaking by the President of the USA during his inaugural address
Pet Peeves: People who laugh at Volvos, bad cereal prizes, faucets that spray out
Favourite Quotation: "She was hotter than a two dollar pistol, she was the fastest thing around" - George Jones
Best Memories: Camp Narnia (Gavin on the door), Manning Park (raid), Big Boat (jokes), Flotilla (boat hoppin', moons), my fellow knitters: Steve, Wylie, Mike, Jeff, Pat, Ty, Grae and everyone else, McDonald's, Elsie my baby, Bella (was turned into KIA), parties, tree delivering, bus riding for 4.5 years, front of the bus with S.T., A.T. and A.S. and the rest, els K.O.in' after dance, hip hop gig in a Volvo and cranking the AM, peeling out and car dancin', Car Rallies with ST & ST and W.M., dances, lookin' for chicken feet at 1:00am, finding them, squirrel/Jeep, common room, car searchin' with Steve, my trucks, Wylie and me at Rumours (with girls of course), "natural women" at theatre, car rides, spreading false gossip about Sara, late excuses, cruising at lunches, Earls, Mike's rubber finger, the mickey Band whistle & songs - "seal, seal", impromptu bus rider songs, Russian Revolution song, rival school signs, Country & Oldies (AM radio), Dukes of Hazzard and the other stuff I can't put into print.

Saucy McNaughty, McDonald's, Mc what ever you can put in front, AHH, so few things to sum up the lad. He was charming, well behaved - actually he had a donkey in many articles of his clothing and is funnier than someone doing singing in the rain. I honestly don't know what we will do without him next year. He helped each day run a little smoother with his comical outlook on life. So Ian, this one's for you, a donkey mother son of an exhausted gopher. (Mike Adams)

Name: Conor Seabrook
Years at GNS: 1993-1997 **House**: DF
Ambition: To find the meaning of life
Probable Destiny: To live in a Bamboo hut somewhere in the Florida Keys
Pet Peeves: Speeding tickets, getting denied, Osoyoos chicks, HF, Saturday detentions, Big Bar ranch, James' perm, driving in Vancouver, Garth, bouncers
Best Memories: New Zealand Exchange; Bask in Hawaii; winning rugby provs+ nationals; Parksville with harmony; discov. trips, journeys to long beach; skimming with J.M.,M.B,S.M,M.M,S.L.; learning to scratch; living at Sheril's; breaking stuff with Holly; near death at Mystic; muggs with Danny; fighting with Ax; Dave's kegger; saving B.A`s life; midnight golfing with D.W.,B.A.; getting the Beamer; Magic candies; Hip concert with Dev; New Year's; Maya's beach cabin by the hour; Carmanah; Gonzy+Golf course parties; Jesse's disaster; nights on the town with Jule; groovin' with Just; P.G; boarding with Mud; Whistler with Cat; 3 week flaunt at Oak Bay; learning to fly?; football in Honolulu; looking for houch with B.K.; shooting the cushman with S.S.;Lance's pardus; car jumping with S. Large; Curbside gigs; Friday Harbour with S.M,B.A,B.K,M; being Matt Brooks, Saltspring raves; cliffjumping on Salts; Cricket sheds with Justin; Breaking into St. Margarets; New York with Kyle + Miles.

Campsites, mountains, playing fields, dance floors, and beaches all rage with energy when Conor comes about them and is always up for any thing. Conor will be remembered as great bud to have in good and bad times, his smile and laughter makes the moment. He parties with the professionals and always seems to be the last one standing. Amazed through the years with his ability to conjure absolutely anything in minutes; we couldn't possibly be without his smile, skills or friendship (D.S.) Conor will long be remembered as the last of a legacy of hard core partiers who can put the pints away and still play the next day. His athletic prowess will be missed on the rugby pitch and bask court. Conor's awesome parties and crazy hair aren't soon to be forgotten. Best of luck and happiness in the future! (S.R.)

Name: James Sabesta
Years at GNS: 1995-1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: To explore the ocean floor
Probable Destiny: To become an underground cult/comic artist
Pet peeves: B.C.'s weather, overbearing, obnoxious, mightier-than-thou attitudes, people who tell me what to do and how to feel, constant interruptions, stupid questions, people who don't treat each other as equals, not being in Ontario, rugby!
Favourite Quotations: "You say it is going to happen now, but when exactly do you mean?"
-The Smiths
Best Memories: Caving and mountaineering with Woody, Mike and Trevor on Outweek '97, my uninterrupted creativity stimulating doodle period, Ian's random outbursts, beating everyone at Bar trivia, Blizzard of 1996, not ever having taken a computers course in my life! Personal Heroes: Jon (my older brother), M.C. Escher, Salvador Dali, Stan Lee and Jim Lee.

James will remembered by his quiet yet caring nature. He is the guy who you see in class, or in the hallways, but would be too shy to speak to you. His pessimism made us all laugh now and then. Good luck James, we'll miss you.

Name: I-Jan Shen
Years at GNS: 1993-1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: Working at Wall Street
Probable Destiny: Flipping burgers at McDonald
Pet Peeves: People who cannot pronounce my name, parking lots, no heat, forgetting my Casio 5500 calculator for the tests, being caught for going home during studies, photo radar
Favorite Quotation: "Nothing lasts forever - not even your troubles."
Best Memories: Mr. Tuckwell's teaching technique (did I mention not teaching ?) Big Bar '95, Flotilla '96, triple studies, PE 11 with Sandra, Angus, Chris and everyone else, Chem 12, my four-year stay with the Matthews, no curfew, summer school at Phillips Exeter Academy '95, summer job '96, my surprise birthday party, car rally '96, late talks with Fred, talking on the phone from midnight until it is time for school the next day, late night adventures on New Castle Island with Sandra, Marina, and tons of other people (getting lost, rock climbing & my constant whining), getting my lab coat burnt in Chem 11, Canucks game at GM Place, Boston '95, talks with Sandra in studies, helping Katie with Math and Chem in study in Gr. 11, bowling, Sandra's birthday party, Simone's sleepover, messing up Chem lab with Sandra in front of Mr. Tuckwell, late night movies, studies on the backfield, shopping at Vancouver with Karen until I am broke, cooking with Karen at my place in Vancouver, Mrs. Wilson's Math 12, walking out of my Physics test in front of Mr. Ducharme and everyone else, Nintendo 64 with Ellie, all my buds.

I-Jan, you're a great student, but more importantly, an awesome person. Your always positive attitude and personality shine through wherever you are. I will always remember our talks in studies and your crazy, totally spontaneous side. I-Jan will be remembered for her intelligence, her ways to listen to other's problems and her constant friendliness. I wish you all the best for University but I will sure miss you. Remember the first thing you were going to do in University. Love Sandra

Iame: Nick W. Simeoni
Years at GNS: Lifer **House:** WT
Ambition: To own my own buisness
Probable destiny: Professional snowboard waxer
Pet Peeves: Monday's, pedestrians, no money, no car, posers, road rash, snow burn, being ick.
Favorite quotation: "A fool and his money are soon parted" Anonymous
Best memories: "The Pit Crew", Palace, One-six, boardin' with the boys, salt spring, pence's island, skatin' U-Vic, Japan trip, Lochside, fly fishing, new years, junior school, ilver star, shawnigan at Dave's, Star Wars, just hangin' in the hood. personal heroes: acki Chan, Tom Penny

Name: Jennifer Smerdon
Years at GNS: 1986 - 1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: Undersea marine biologist or psychologist
Probable Destiny: Counselling the four year olds in my Salamanders class or manic depressive mollusks
Pet peeves: Getting denied, driving to school after rowing, Pigs, people who don't signal, when people get ticked off when you borrow their clothes(!), James, "Smirnoff" reminders
Favourties Quotation: "Mehh!" - Murphy "Above all else, to thing own self be true." - Shakespeare
Best memories: Mr. Steele's mazes, 'Wild thing' with Jeremy, Feliz Navidad, England, Spain and Europe for Gr. 7, all Outweeks, Flotilla '96 with 'Skip', Paul and that summer, Choir trips (Toronto!), Germany, Berlin, Tegan and Nicky cruisin' in the wagon, all other Windsor parties, French Creek, skiing with Marina or Tegan, Silver Star, P.C. with 'the gang', Clowns, Twelfth Night, Invisible Friends, Leader, Devil, Dark of the Moon (Susie's assembly comments!), One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest, Rowing regattas with 'Scott', VCRC with Jay, Washington trip, swiming provincials, car rallies, Oak Bay Tea parties, DQ, Gr. 9 Science with Stweie, cruisin' in the Meteor (controversial questions), Carol Services, Gr. 8 Band and French class with Jill, talks with See-more, Gill's party, camping at Kim's, Vancouver with Haley, Bjorn's beach fires, **SUMMER '96**, its parties, the Maker, Cole's room, Grad '97, my party (after the cops came! - TM). My personal heroes are my parents and my brothers.

Ah, our dear Smirnoff! - Our dancing queen, party-animal, actress extraordinaire and all 'round wonderful, best friend. (MS) Jen is a true partyin' animal and an artist magnificent. (JP) I've known this "plastic eating girl" since Gr. 9 and she is one of the nicest people I have met in GNS. (BY) Jen is the buffest rower chick you'll ever meet. She also has the best shoulder to lean/cry on. Thanks for all the unmentionable memories, Smirnoff. See ya in the 2000 Olympics. (TM)

Name: Kim Statham
Years at GNS: 1991 - 1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: To be employed
Probable Destiny: Chicken Farmer
Pet Peeves: Bananas, living in the middle of nowhere, computer programming, people who knock goats, gross old men, condescending women, authority figures, scary boyfriends, Jill's friend, Lucky
Best Memories: Granny Tanny; Seeker '93 with Slick MC; Narnia; Manning Park with Mr. Langton - "back of the line"; Socials 8 and Mr. Wilson's artifacts; The Zipper; the Gray Monster; stumbling around Oak Bay and falling in the bushes; visits with my favorite uncle, Sidney; parties and partying; Big Bar '95; fixing my tattoo; playing in the snow, mystic journeys to Duncan in Gray Monster; Sooke Potholes attempted Raves spent sleeping in Jill's Car; mornings at Jippy's listening to contemporary music eating waffles; nights partying with Jen; the Maker; Gr. 12.

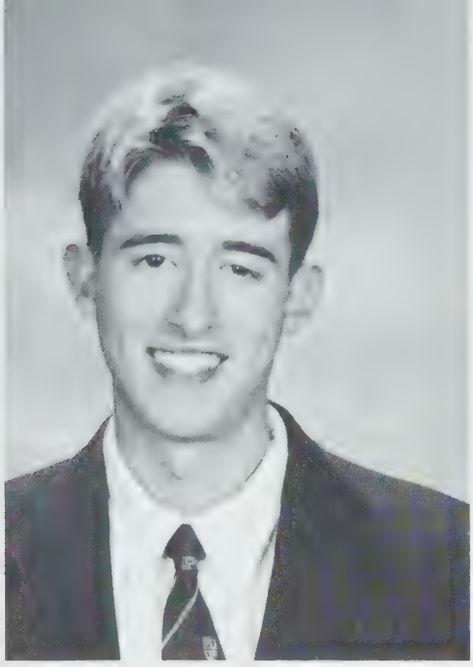
Kim could rival the Micro-Machines Man for sheer speed. She has always gone against the grain and is a free thinker and spirit. Kim will float her way into an exciting life beyond GNS (L.N.). In a nutshell, Kim is the coolest weirdo on the face of the planet. I love you, Scorpio Sister (J.P.) Kim is the best stumbling partner anyone could have, and the sweetest girl to have waffles with the morning after (J.S.). Kim's my partner in crime, and together we will fight the world of bad tattoos and wayward men. Adventures with Kim are never dull and parties aren't the same without her. Let it snow, Let it snow, Let it snow. (J.M.) Kim is GNS's Scorpio fairy. Behind those sparkling eyes lies a real tricky girl who's always in the know. We will all miss her well-felt presence (T.M)

Name: Marina Steele
Years: 1990- 1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: Veterinary surgeon
Probable Destiny: part-time sea bum and host of the "Name That Smell Game"
Pet Peeves: Pre-dawn rowing practice, Jen's driving, Banana Suits, "Jean-Pierre", slide bites, SPINAKERS!
Favorite Quote: "The most wonderful thing about Tiggers is Tiggers are wonderful things, their tops are made out of rubber, their bottoms are made out of springs, their bouncy, trouncy, flouncy, wouncy, fun, fun, fun, fun, fun, betcha the most wonderful things about Tiggers is I'm the only ONE!" *~Tigger*
Best Memories: Flotilla Grade 10, 11 and 12, the Eclipse, "Jolly Olly", "Africa", SQUID, England '96, The Single, The "Star" Double, that 'Jay' thing!, Pacific N.W. Regional Champs and "The Golden Eight", Lindsay's Partys, The Gabriola Adventure (with J.S., T.M. and S.W.), Newmarket Racing, Nutella with J.M., V.C.R.C., Pasta Partys, B.C. Champs, Jen's Sunglasses Ha Ha, Teegs "falling out" with Jay, GAP, "Shannon", Theatre Class, 'Winnie The Pooh", Banana suits and Choir with (AW). Personal Heroes: Tigger, my family, Teeg, Jen, Nicky, I-Jan, Jill and Sandra!

Marina's stellar English, skippering, motivational, & rowing skills are an inspiration to us all. One can always count on her bubbly spirit for guidance in the right direction. Her maniacal laughter will forever be ringing through halls of G.N.S. (TM) Marina our laughing, bouncing, jolly, squooshy, loveable little bundle of joy has graced the hallways of GNS for the last seven years. Known for her fire-engine red backpack, and proficiency as our one and only coxswain extrordinaire. Well Pookey, thanks for everything - your guidance has led the way more than once. See you over the sea, Skip! (JS) Marina will be remembered for her love of CHOCOLATE and the resulting sugar rushes. She has a great attitude and is an awesome friend to be with. (Love SW) We will surely miss Marina as a super rower, a brilliant soprano in choir, and particularly her psycho chocolate-dish recipe for Public Affairs! (Love IS) Marina has a special affinity for sugar that could entertain anyone. If this was the Middle Ages she'd be a Court Jester. (JM)

Name: Devon Stubbs
Years at G.N.S.: 1992 - 1997 **House:** DF
Ambition: To be happy
Probable Destiny: To marry a wealthy, pompous rodent
Pet Peeves: People who try too hard, hypocrites, cheezy guys, hatred
Favorite quatation: "This bud of love, by summer's ripening breath, may prove a beauteous flower when we next meet." Shakespeare.
Best Memories: Evelyn's chocolate coated rain drops, Gr.11 Hockey trips, Maui avec Al, M.J.S Wildcats, Doors concert at B.H.P. D.C, B.V, A.J, Ausies, Blythe's place with Corey's many teachings, Rose's art parties, M.S.C tea time, Kelowna trips, Flotilla '96, bioluminescence, Saltspring trips, Big White, Syd's dream, piglets for peace at Carmanah, Rockin' the clubs with John in little Kelowna, Thetis Lake with my soul man, Museums, Mexico and Cali with Dad, Annie the orphan, rollerskating with H.K., All New Years inc. snow blizzard '97, Grade 8 with surrendering buds, Breakwater voyages, nights in the big city, Mondays at Earls, Julian the city man, and all the times that can't come to me.

Devon a.k.a. "the princess" will always be remembered at G.N.S. She is the girl from Montana and the one constantly grooving away to James Brown, Bob Dylan and Marley. I'll always remember good times on Galiano and Math and Art with Devster. We made it Dev! Good luck in the future blondie! (SB) From Museum trips to camp grounds Devons radiant smile and carefree spirit are without equal. Devon embraced her G.N.S. years with open arms never one to cry over a missing string. Devon is a forgiving person. I hope your life is filled with good times and good people (SL) Princess Devon is known as a non stop party girl with beautiful blonde hair. Devon with her perma smile. This wild child can't stop having fun, best wishes in the future (Love Sam) Well Dev, you are always full of laughs and good humour in any situation. Thanks for all your brightening up. "We're on the road again" (Love Kathleen) Venture into reality and chalk high school up to a learning experience. Thanks for unforgettable memories. XOX (EY)



Name: Michael Thomas Stubbs
Years at GNS: 1987 - 1997 **House: DF**
Ambition: CEO of a Fortune 500 Company
Probable Destiny: Scooter Man extraordinaire
Pet Peeves: People who don't like motorbikes, drivers that don't watch for motorcyclists
Favourite Quotations: "Whatever moves your fun meter" "Stop the spinning" "Whatever" "It's only money"
Best Memories: Grade 6 National soccer tournament, Gr. 7 National soccer tournament, Vegas 8, Vegas 11, Manning Park drug search, Junior Basketball with Atis, Senior soccer Gr. 9, Grizz '96 trip, Canucks '97 trip, Big Bar '96, Parties at Dave's and the Kegger

Stubbs will be remembered for his fun loving, carefree attitude in class and out. Lippy could always be found in the common room ('cause I don't think he had any classes) being mean and lippy to everyone. Wave to him as he scoots by on his motorbike. A life without Mikey is a quiet, but lipless void. See ya in the obnoxious Olympics, women! Just kidding! Thanks for comin' out to the part, Mikey! (Lippy2)

Name: Jeffrey Sun
Years at GNS: 1994 - 1997 **House**: CM
Ambition: To graduate
Probable Destiny: Speed bump at Safeway
Pet Peeves : One-time, too much homework, not enough studies, no drivers license, No-doubt and other gay music groups, forgetting how to talk, Ms.J's art room music rules
Favourite Quote: 'What's goin' on?' ~METHOD MAN-Tical
Best Memories: Seattle '95, Rock Lake '96, Chillin' wit da green C and smooth daddy-o, etc. Dave's place, cards in the common room, various public parks and beaches around the city, afternoon Grade 11 english (P.S. Pretty picture by Joanne Penhale), hangin' with the Teegmeister, sleeping through Socials, com. rec. 11.

Jeff Sun will forever be remembered at GNS for his outspoken contribution to the school. Whether cruising the halls with his star-trek coffee mug thingy or playing cards in the common room, his presence lifted the otherwise gloomy atmosphere of the school. His entertaining comments and almost butter-knife sharp wit shine through whenever he opens his mouth to enlighten the common people. His effort to help the school however he sees fit shall be fondly remembered by those who have taught him and learned beside him.

Name: Raymond Tai
Years at GNS: 1995-1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: Doctor
Probable Destiny: To live in Canada
Pet Peeves: Spending my own money
Favourite Quote: "Chances are for a prepared mind" "Yo, buddy, gained something over this weekend?"
Best Memories: Sky club conference 1996 Personal Hero: God

Raymond will always be remembered for his humorous personality, and his keen interest in Physics Kinematic Theory. He will also be recognised for his supreme passion and skill in Martial Arts, and all his close friends know in which category. Wish you the very best in the future, man! Brian Yang '97.

Name: Bill Chih-Yu Teng
Years at G.N.S. : 1993 - 1997 **House** : WT
Ambition: To be a happy business man
Probable destiny: Become the owner of a Karaoke (so I can actually sing everyday without paying any money).
Pet Peeves: Waiting for someone who's always late(B.Y.) ; waking up at 8 o`clock on Sunday morning by prank phone calls
Best Memories: Jr. boy basketball team in Gr.10 (I sure warmed up the bench very well!), getting 100% on my Gr.10 computer project, all the study periods with "Mr.Crazy" (Claize), S.K.Y. Club Conference `96, placing 3rd in Gr.11 Math Contest by leaving blanks in the test, being elected as a representative of the International Students, Senior Choir `94-`97, playing in Badminton club with Mr.Wilson, Gr.12 Out week: Flying (Because of the airsick, I almost puked on the plane while I was still flying), Senior Basketball Team at gr.12: My job was to go out there and give them elbows, Living with the Weirs `95-`97. My personal heroes are my parents and Mr.Claize.

Though Bill has always seemed confused about my name. . . .he is an exceptional student who has gone out of his way to be a model student and an excellent ambassador for all the international students (S.C.)

Name: Annie Vallance
Years at GNS: 1990-1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: Doctor Research Scientist
Probable Destiny: Sweeping the floors at Metro-McNair
Pet Peeves: busy signals, being d.d., banging my head (flotilla), 'Please deposit one dollar and thirty five cents, please', those who think Canada is summed up by bad music, French idiots and igloos.
Favorite Quotations: "la vie est plus belle quand on l'écrit soi-même" "Oh, the experience of this sweet life"- Dante
Best Memories: School supply shopping with Fern; Alanis, and the rest of the story (that day...); Long Beach; Deck Sessions; Stone Temple Pilots; France and England; Saunas; Leader of the Pack, Devil and Daniel Webster, Dark of the Moon , One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest; Classes with Neil and Roberto Ducharmay; Acting 11 rager (love can...you); Dave's parties; Rugby provincials; fun in Peer Counseling; Flotilla '96 with Honker, Fat-ass and Skippa; Tuesday Nights; guzz runs with Nuutz & Co; Kart; Rugby; Montreal; House manoevers with Abbers; Sailing with gugin Mel; 'It's a power thing'; Dave's toe-harness; Math Women I & II; Mr. Schmidt's French 8 class (Katie, s'il te plaît); Trivial Pursuit with the clan; UBC 1996 (Chinese food, anyone?); All the time spent with P.J.

Anners has come a long way since the big, cute bow on the head days of grade seven. Now she's the hammer of the rugby field and a super peer counselor with a perma-sunny outlook. Good luck out there, Annie, and may we burn our eyes out in your sauna for many years to come! (AR) Annie, AKA hammer on the rugby field, can always be seen bouncing around school with a smile on her face. Bages, peanie and Alanis, it doesn't get much better. (FW) Anners I will forever remember your silly smiling face which was always able to lift my spirits as well as everyone else's. Annie's ability as "the Hammer" won't soon be forgotten. Best of luck next year, love SR. It wouldn't be possible for Annie to accomplish much more at this school. She can always be seen running around with a smile on her face. I will always be sorry for every time I get her in trouble. (BA) Annie, Louise, loungin', Quid and Waterloo: how bizarre! All are gugin times. Let's sail. Yer terrible but yer my retard sandwich. See ya on Tuesday, Anne banne!

Name: Fern Wager
Years at GNS: 1991-1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: To go cool places
Probable Destiny: Housewife of 15 with a drunken husband
Pet Peeves: Moving behind slow people, lame people with no parties, Dave's roid rages, trees (everything about them)
Favourite Quotation: "I got you babe" -Sonny and Cher
Best Memories: Ski trips, Gr. 7 days w/AR, BN's party, DC's house w/Andy, Dev days, Cedar Hill golf course mud, busrides w/SL and SL, Outweeks (esp. Gr. 12), Gr. 10 movie parties, bus trek in Van, Hillcrest w/SL, NZ, Trueman's, Holly's mirror, Mt. Wash trips, Whistler, Snowboarding w/BvdH, RW and Dev, New Year's at Cait's, AMS deck sessions w/AV, Long beach, Lk. Tahoe, car rallies, Dave's parties, Trail, Funny $, falling down the Sooke Pot Holes waterfall, the toddler pool, Shawnigan Lk, Arbutus Cove, Cait's Cheese Wiz theory, Earls and the penguin, cabana, Mt. Doug Park w/DW, Skutz Falls and the little mouse, Neil's hammock, house and apples, Fh provs, Dave's house, ripping the bum of my pants, Sonny and Cher, states and KW w/Dave (getting lifted), making 2 noises at the same time, planning the world tour.

Fern, the Car Rally Queen, never ceases to impress me with her daring adventures. I've seen her do some very inappropriate things, and they made me laugh. Have fun Fern; I know you will! (AR) Fern plays rugby like a mad-woman, provoking fear in all her opponents faces. I will always remember bages and peanie, skim milk, Alanis and the deck sessions, and her never-ending search for a party or venue. (AV) Fern injects so much energy into an otherwise boring situation. Fern is so easy going and rarely embarassed, so she can pull some pretty amazing stunts. I hope Fern will always be as happy as she was in high school. I know she will be going cool places. (DW)

Name: Dave Dixon Walsh
Years at GNS: 1993 - 1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: Gathering cool stuff
Probable Destiny: Beer gut watching football with 15 kids
Pet peeves: Attending school, walking behind people who are slow, expensive Corvettes, all cars
Favourite Quotations: "Those that can, do, Those that can't, teach, Those that can't teach, do research."
Best Memories: Funny Money, Mt. Washington Day Trips, ripping apart car in East Van, sneaking into hotel (same night, maybe), Grizz game and ferry ride home, the night in my van, those greasy pancakes at Santa's Brunch, New Year's Eve, Montreal, the Hertel incident, harvesting with Colin W., test driving cars with Christian, Earls and the proceeding events, Car rallies, parties at my house, small shiny things, Skutz Falls and the little mouse, Outweeks (especially '96), N.Z., Football Provincial Championship (and rugby, silly sport), I Got You Babe, Neil's house and hammock (good apples), the world tour, Lindsay's (hot tub), Christmas Holidays with Fern, snowboarding in U.S. with Fern, Sooke Pot Holes, creating the toe harness, Caitlin C's cheese wiz theory on G.N.S. life

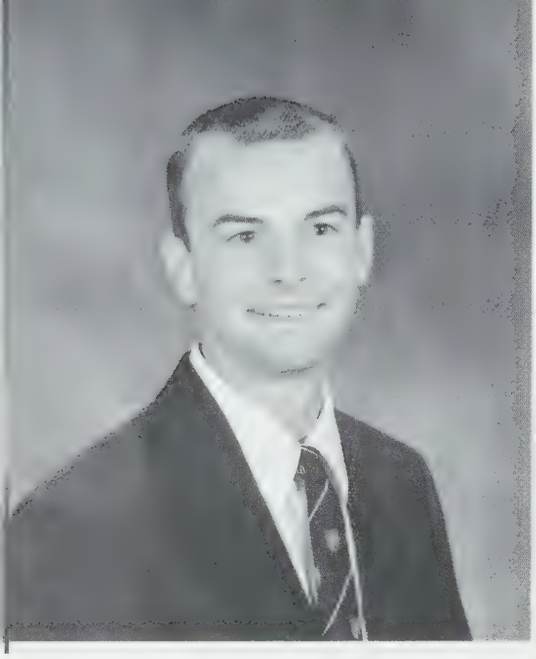
I will never forget Dave's driving. (AH) Dave is the ultimate weirdo (as the toe harness proved). Our class should be forever grateful to Dave for his rocking parties at which Dave can be found in the bath tub, on the laundry room floor or beside the keg keeping the party going. I will forever remember Dave's spontaneous acts and his care free attitude which allows him to have the most fun. May you always have cool stuff. (FW)

Name: Lindsay Weir
Years at G.N.S. 5 **House:** WD
Ambition: To make an impression somewhere in the world
Probable Destiny: An elementary school teacher
Pet Peeves: Late Aeople, cheap binders that tear the paper.
Best Memories: angel wings, Australia, soft lips in Gr.10 with Teg, cruising Gordon Head, "twinkle toes", William Head, candy striping, boat rides to Barb's, S.S. at King George, Little Sister, Posicle-Pete, Peggy, Cloud 9, Big Bar, watermelon, Durrance Lake with K.T., "Is that you?", Champagne in G. Ville, Live, Council with C.C. and firemen fashion shows., late night sprinters and dead batteries, Belfry evenings with Oleanna and choc. cookies., Twizzlers, Writing 9 with Teg videos and asses, gory movies at Hol's not to mention Whistler's theatre, J.M. weekend projects chez G.N.S., all gr.9 drop-outs, Mrs.W, Gr.10 bells, dancing around town (SMU too!), Windsor with Oak Bay hoodlims,17th B-day thanks to Nick and Courtney!,

Linz is the most friendly and open person any of us will ever meet. Weather she's starring in the senior production"Little Sister" or travelling across the world, her grace and presence is felt by all. Lindsay's ability to charm everyone she meets with her quick smile and contagious laugh will surely see her far in life.

Name: Sandra Weyand
Years at G.N.S.: 1995-1997 **House**: DF
Ambition: To be a successful lawyer and lead a happy life
Probable Destiny: Scrubbing toilets in some tourist-hole
Pet Peeves: No empty classrooms, mornings, driving through road blocks, parking
Favourite Quotation: "The future is something which everyone reaches at the rate of sixty minutes an hour, whatever he does, whoever he is." C. S. Lewis
Best Memories: Mr. Tuckwell not teaching, P.E.11, Outweek - Flotilla, going to Provincials with the Field Hockey team, taking out Kim(SMU), Chem 12, being hyper in classes with substitutes, studies, not going to the swimmeet, parties at whoever's house, talking too much in the library, playing cards in the common room, skitrip with Marina, B-ball trips, Field Hockey trips, Earls, the two days of Bio 12, bowling on my birthday, playing pool, movies - first row for three hours, drama performances, talks with Bianca and I-Jan, eating cake at Sam's house, party at Katie's, skating on a frozen lake, surprises, Oak Bay teaparty, ferry, sitting on the back field for three hours, leaving early every Wednesday, having thirteen studies a week, missing school, screwing up on Chem. labs, Bio 11, Mr. Calderwood being late for homeform, tutoring, getting phone calls 20 minutes before meeting people, Grade 12, Pizza Day, being called 'evil', pasta loads, closing the backdoor of the Chem. lab

Sandra, you are a very special and sincere person. You always wear a smile and are an encouragement to everyone around you. I look forward to many years of friendship to come. Love, Bianca. Smart, understanding and psycho in the Sunfire. Love , Joanne. Ever since Sandra joined us from Germany, she has adapted well to Canadian ways and had no problem speaking English. She has a warm, cheerful personality and is a great friend to everyone. Besides her positive and calm attitude to everyone, Sandra does have a hyper and wild side which she shows to substitutes. She will be remembered for her intelligence, her superb goalie skills, and her deep passion for Ralf. Love, I-Jan.



Name: Dallan James Woodward
Years at GNS: 1991 - 1997 **House:** CM
Ambition: To become a Civil Engineer
Probable Destiny: To buy Alcatraz Island and set up the ultimate sailing centre
Pet Peeves: no wind; early ferry runs; ferry food; slow drivers; breaking expensive stuff; brussel sprouts; unsharp pencils.
Favorite Quotation: "I'm hungry, let's get a taco." Mr. White
Best Memories: Jr. boys campus; ski trips '93 & '95; all outweeks; flotilla '95; HH falling into the aisle of BI's van; CJs party; CORK '95 & '96; yacht club; storm of '95; Toy Story with CJ & BI; asshole in the common room; EndFest '96; drug raid at Manning Park; Mr. Bowers; grade 10; '95-'97; regattas in Vancouver; Physics 12 with Mr. Ducharme; New Years '95/6 with DW & CJ; the ultimate regatta mobile (BC Ferry on wheels); Mr. Langton; the micra; winning Commodores Cup by 0.25 of a point over my cousin; $5 boat race with IS-P; homeroom desk racing; Briana.

Hanging out with Dallan is guaranteed to be a good time. He's the kind of guy who always keeps you laughing, no matter what kind of mood you're in. Although he spends a lot of time making fun of Holly, his true passion is sailing and you can't keep him from a boat for too long. If you ever hear someone say "Get some pants!" you can bet they're talking to Dallan, and you can count on him to wear shorts in any weather. Getting in touch with Dallan is no problem, either. Just try the yacht club or Briana's house. Dallan is a great person, and an incredible friend to anyone who takes the time to be friends. Losing Dallan leaves a major hole in the lives of all who know him. (BI)

Name: Danielle Marie Worster
Years at G.N.S: 1989-1997 **House:** WD
Ambition: Happiness
Probable Destiny: Depression
Pet Peeves: Artificial people, when people wreck your day first thing in the morning, rain + wind, clones, superficial and materialistic people, when stuff gets lost, work overload, mean rumours, conflict, indecision
Favourite Quotations: "Preach to a storm and reason with despair, but tell not Misery's son that life is fair."-H.K. White; "You don't look back on time, but down through it, like water. Sometimes this comes to the surface, sometimes that, sometimes nothing. Nothing goes away."- Margaret Atwood; "And when the religious sects ran mad/ he held, in spite of all his learning/ that if a man's belief is bad/ it will not be improved by burning."- W.M. Praed
Best Memories: Big Bar Ranch outweek '96; Mrs. Savage's Math class (recess!); crazy homeform with Mme. Pallan; Art classes from grades 8-12; stuff that I did that was fun; summers; talking with people who are a lot nicer than those who are popular; yearbook. My personal heroes are my parents and people who are unconditionally kind.

Danielle will be remembered as a kind, quiet girl, who would never reveal her talkative side to those who didn't know her. She laughs at almost anything, and despite her protestations to the contrary, is a good student, although no, she doesn't want to be remembered as either of her sisters. She's always there if you need her help. Good luck in whatever you're going to do, Danielle, we have full confidence in you.

Name: Brian Yang
Years at G.N.S: 1993 - 1997 **House:** WT
Ambition: To be a successful business man by 55, and then enjoy the rest of my life.
Probable destiny: A blue-collar Joe in a small and dark office with min. wage $1,299.
Pet Peeves: People who talk during movies; unfriendly , arrogant people; hypocrites and people who can hold a basketball with only one hand, including Jordan!
Best Memories: Gr. 9 - Kayaking trip in the summer, and paddling in the night and enjoying the moonlight. Gr. 10 - Grade 10 drama, and performing the monologue, "Bible Minute Bob," being involved in school activities. Gr. 11 - Outweek - Big Bar Ranch, being the photographer of the Year Book, Community Rec. P.E. class, '96 S.K.Y. Club conference in April. Gr. 12 - being elected as a Prefect and a member of the Student Council., getting my first little car!, organising the S.K.Y. Club as the president, joining the Sr. Boys. Basketball Team. (Go, Guys!!!) Part of my best memory is meeting new people, and I'm glad that I decided to come to Canada and chose to go to G.N.S. I have made several good buddies out here, (you know who you are), and I just want to thank them for giving me four wonderful years of my life. Thanks, guys... and girls, of course!!!

Brian always gave much more than he took. He is a natural leader and G.N.S. will without doubt be a lesser place in his absence. (Scott Clazie) Brian will always be remembered for his " way-too kind" personality and his innovative hairstyles. Brian is smart and no doubt will be going far in his field that he can thrive at business. Brian is a heck of a nice guy and a good peer counsellor. If you see Brian buzzing around in his Geo, pull him over and say "Hi!" (Steve Biggs)

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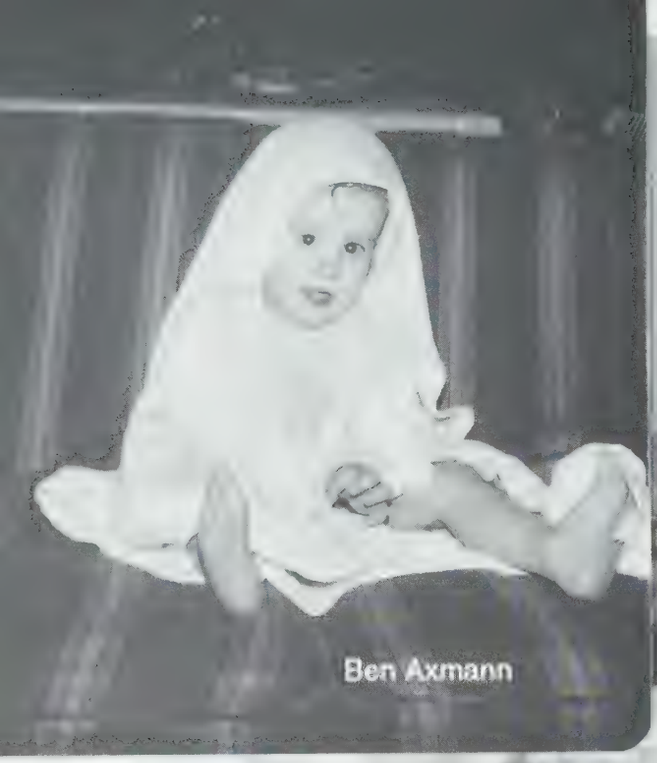
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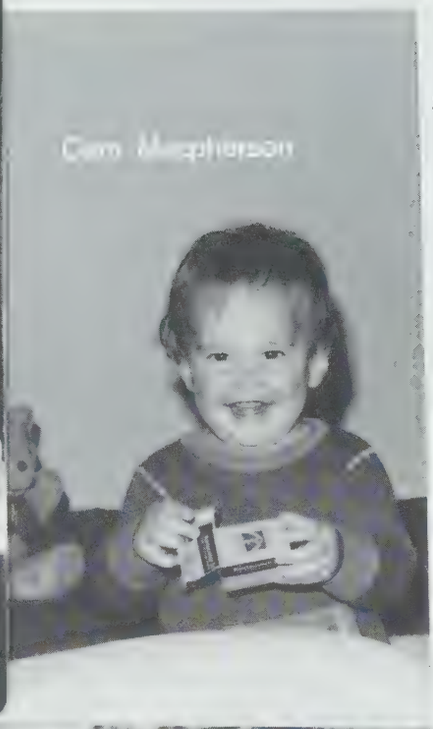
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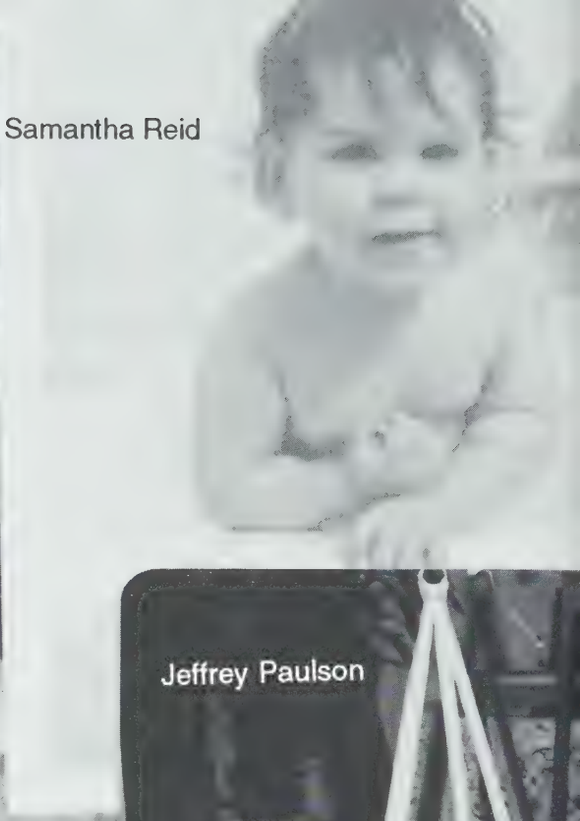
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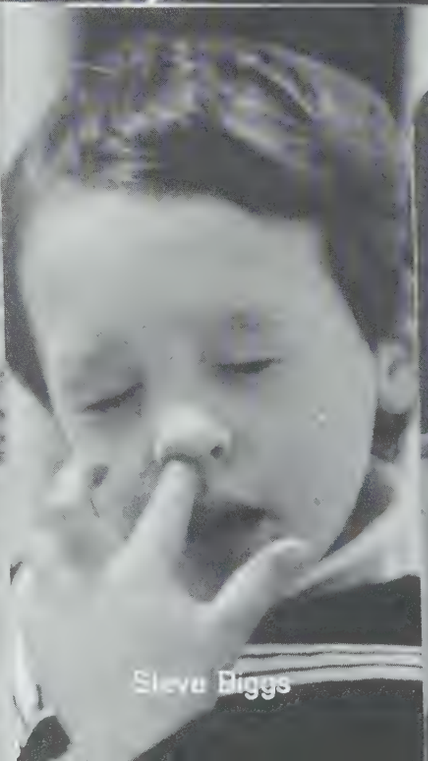
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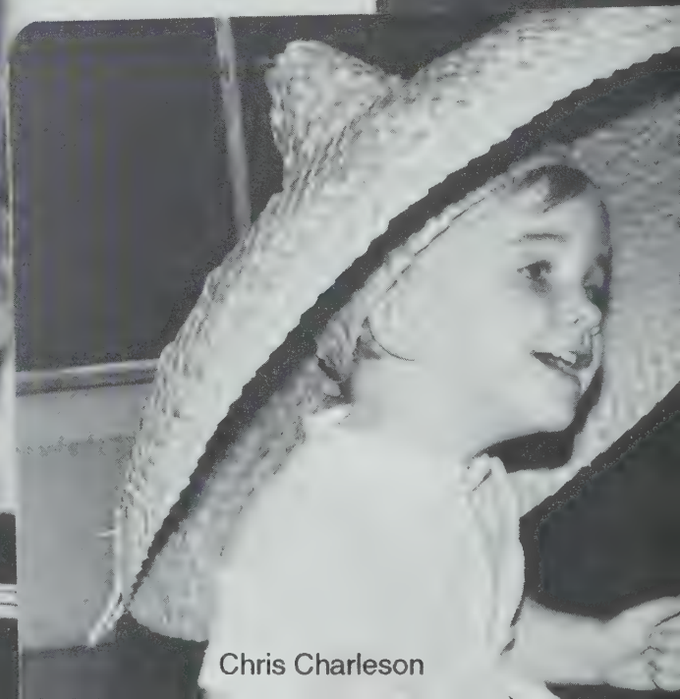
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STUDENT LIFE
TAKE '1997'.....

The G.N.S. Barbecue

The 1996 Scholars' Banquet took place this year, as always at the Faculty Club of University of Victoria. Over 170 scholars were recognised this year. Mr. R. Pearmain, the president of IB in North America was the guest speaker. The theme for the night was summarised in one final quote, "Children's learning has no limits. Give a child some exciting surroundings; add plenty of encouraging support, and curiosity will take care of the rest."

The Scholar's Banquet:

Newman Fisa Debate Tournament

G.N.S. Hosted the Newman Fisa invitational debate tournament in October. Debaters from around the province were invited to argue about a number of topics. Resolutions this year included: Television controls our lives, truth is a constant, and traditional gender rules are too restrictive. A special thanks goes to Mrs. Chatterton for organising the event.

Camp Pringle

Outweek for the Grade Eights was a great success! We had excellent warm, sunny weather, and Lake Shawnigan was still swimmable. It was a bit chilly, but we pretended that it was warm! The biking turned out to be tons of fun. I think that many people have found a sport that they truely love, from that camp. The instructors were really nice and taught us lots, I think that they were the ones that made the camp so much fun. Each day after biking, we went down to the beach. There was lots to do, thanks to Miss Bigelow and Mr. Britten. The two of them organized a waterski boat to come to take us tubing and waterskiing, and they brought up two lasers for us to sail. It was quite entertaining! The lifegaurds were also really funny. We all had fun, and we got to know each other quite well. I am sure that if we asked each one of the Grade Eights if they would recommend Camp Pringle for next year's Grade Eights, they would say "yes" without a doubt!

Olympic Park Institute

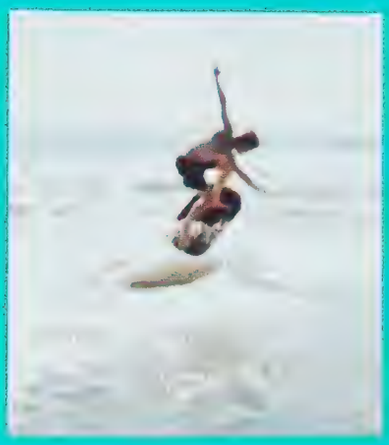
Olympic Park Institute '96 is a memory probably Grade 9's (or the class of 2000) will never forget.
What did we do? WE HIKED. We hiked all day from 10 A.M. to 3 P.M. The good thing about the hiking was "Storm King Mountain". In fact, somebody liked it so much that he hiked it twice.
Thanks to the teachers who had to walk around the cabins all Thursday night so the students couldn't sneak out. All in all, these incidents & activities made for a memorable trip.

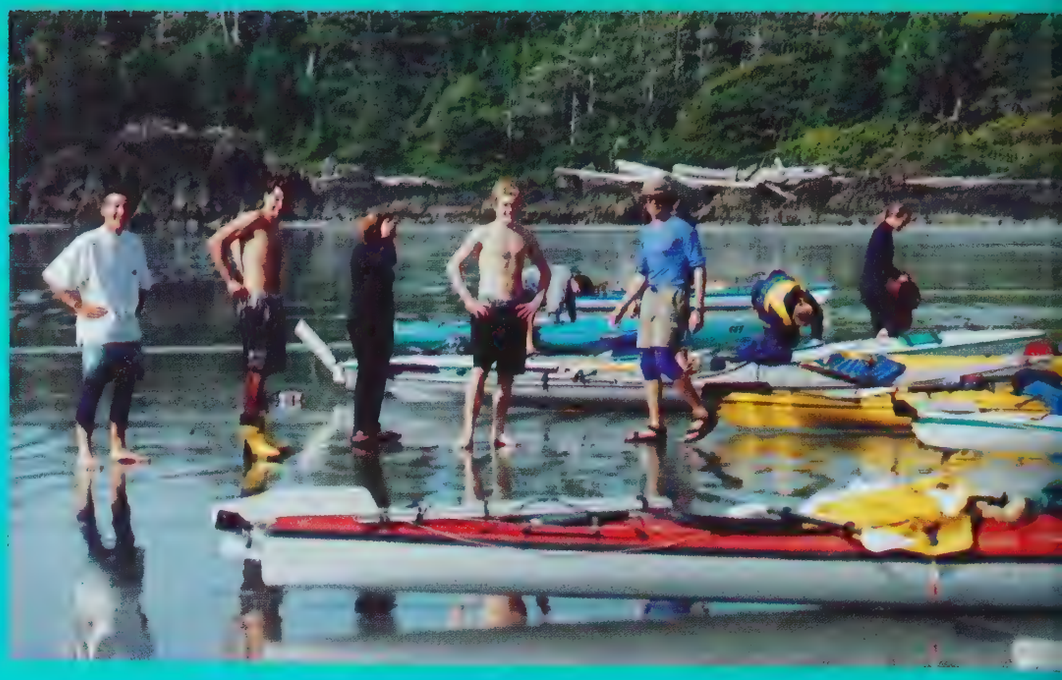
Srathcona

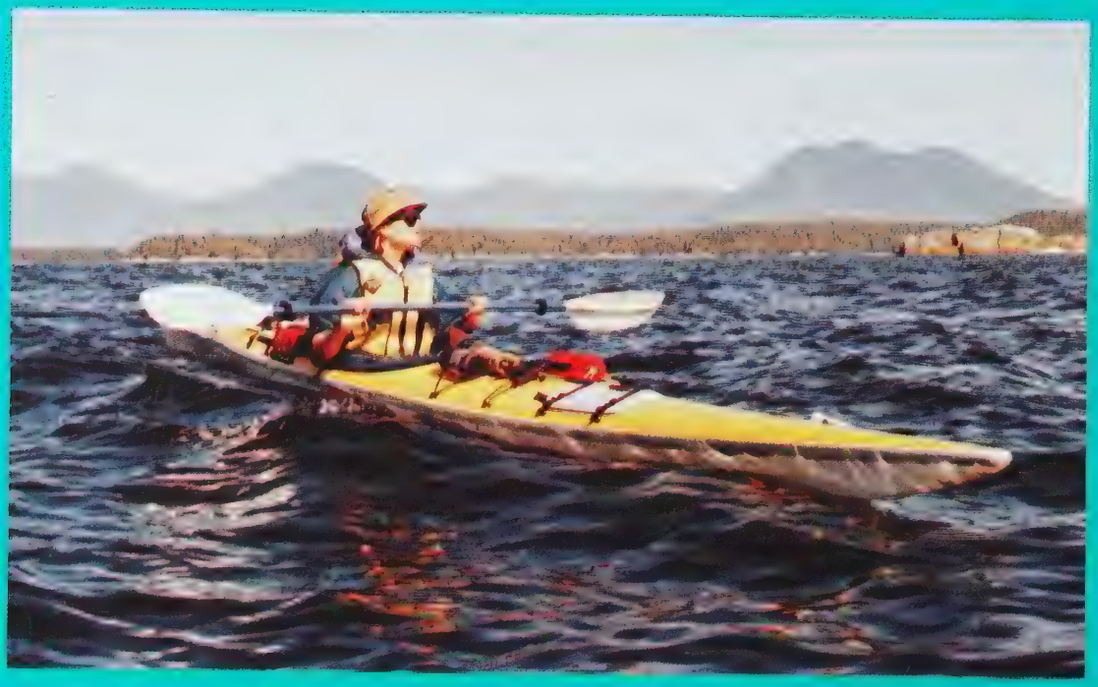
The Grade 10's made a trip up to Strathcona Provincial Park to go rock-climbing, mountaineering, hiking, canoeing, and white-water canoeing. Two nights were spent sleeping under tarps in the middle of nowhere, and two more nights were spent at the lodge. Over three days were spent hiking, canoeing and climbing; we were taught how to interact and appreciate nature and its beauty, with a lot of effort from the students and great instruction from the Srathcona staff. This turned out to be a wonderful experience.

Horne Lake

It was the best of times, it was the worst of times. We dwelt in an RV, yet we could not shower, We had sufficient facilities, yet there was always the fear of that maniac hiding in the shadows.... But seriously, this is just an overview of the Caving (or spelunking, for those of you into cute lingo) trip to Horne Lake, stoically lead by Mr. Calderwood. A merry band of six, we scaled rocks, wormed our way through the bowels of the Earth and were witnesses to a blood-red lunar eclipse. We were truly at Mother Nature's mercy, until we escaped for a round of mini-golf in nearby Parksville. Besides experiencing how thick and desolate true darkness within a stone hovel can really be, we all learned the relevance of 'Dungeon & Dragons', the important uses of Children's Chewable Tylenol and what not to do on grad night. Many cans of worms were opened, merrily and wholeheartedly and all of us felt a trust that only comes when living in close quarters for five days. It is a far, far better thing that I have done and I am sure that the caving group of 1996 graciously thanks Mr. Calderwood for his intrepid leadership. Caving - too much fun.







Fly-fishing to the Nehalliston Plateau

On Sat. Sept. 21st, Mr. Tucker, Mr. Wilson, and eight grade 11 & 12 boys "hit the road" for Rock Island Lake Fishing Camp, north of Kamloops. We stayed in a log cabin and had hot showers. We fished four different lakes and caught some rainbow trout. The weather was fairly cold, and our first day's fish of fishing produced two snow storms and a hail storm. We drove up to the lodge via the Coquihalla highway and kamloops and came back via 100 mile house and the Fraser Canyon. In general, a good time was had by all.

Flying

This year seven brave people chose Flying for Outweek. They all had a super time. Flying took place at "Victoria Flight Training." It included many hours of ground school and three hours of flying. They covered the theory of flight, air regulations, navigation, and meteorology. During their flying time, the students practised climbs, descents, stalls, turns, take offs and landing, and a few brave people even learned how to spin! It was one exciting week. Thanks to Mrs. Bailey for organizing this memorable trip.

Scuba Diving

This year, a group of 10 eager students descended into the icy waters of the Strait of Juan de Fuca during the Scuba Diving Course. We saw things that we never knew existed along with many other strange and beautiful creatures, such as an octopus, sole, plumose anemone, and lung cod that could easily have swallowed us whole. Our instructors were kind, the dives were great, and a good time was had by all.

Flotilla

A whimsical journey through miles and miles of blue stuff. Many a time we sailed at top notch, and even a whale or two was spotted. The highlight of the trip was sailing, which is good because that is what we did the whole time. A good time was had by all, and we really recommend the trip to others.

Horse Back Riding/Rafting
After arriving on Monday, everyone went to meet their horses and went for a gallop along the beach. Playing tag on horseback was an interesting experience! Tuesday was white water rafting. The river was low so we had to work hard to stop the rafts from grounding. Wednesday was the beginning of the overnight horse riding trip. We saddled up and took the horses up to a picturesque lake, where we set up camp. Thursday after breakfast and watering our horses we rode back down the mountain. Last evening under a lunar eclipse we had a campfire with cookies and juice. Friday was the trip back to Victoria- an easy and relaxing end to an excellent week. Thanks to the Tuckwell s for leading this great trip.

"Our fearless leader."

"Go away you $#^%^#."

"Thiff sandwik ith reawy dewifious. Yummm."

"Hmmm...love those pickles."

"Blub...blub...blub...
I'm a guppy...blub...blub...blub..."

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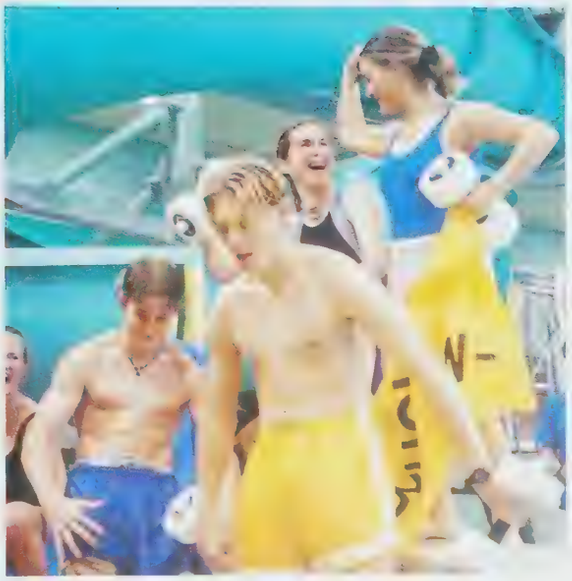

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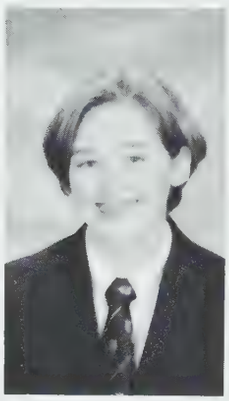

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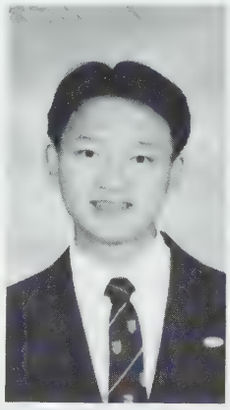

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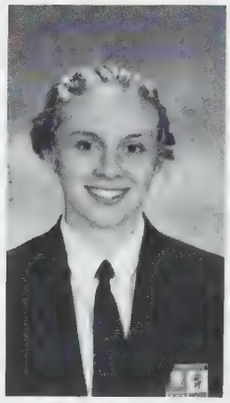

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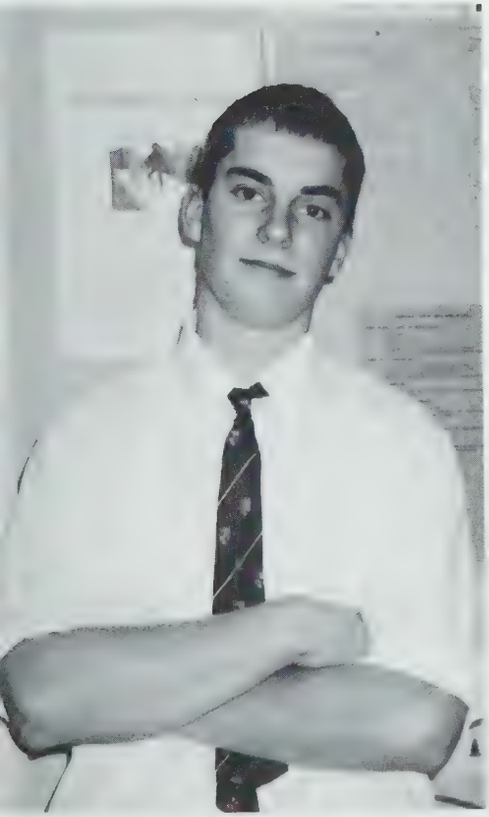

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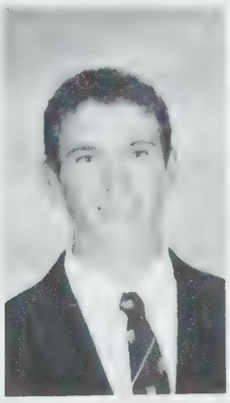

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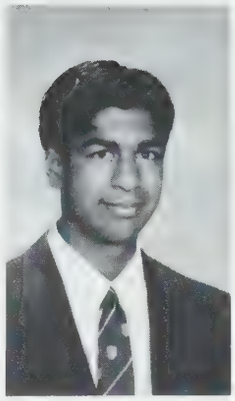

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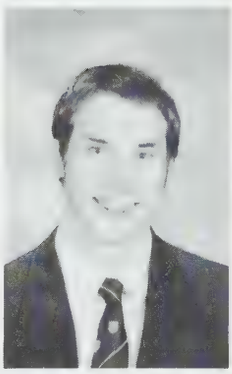

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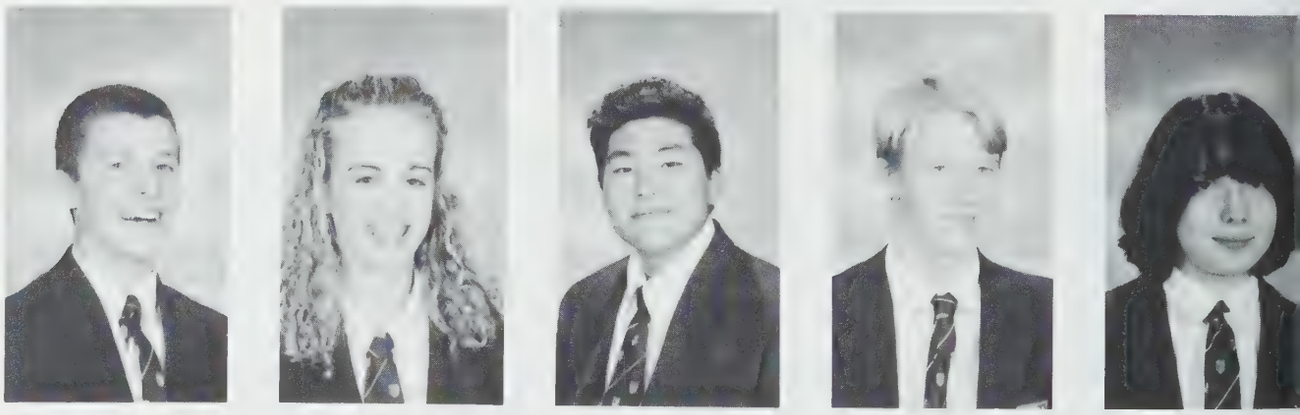

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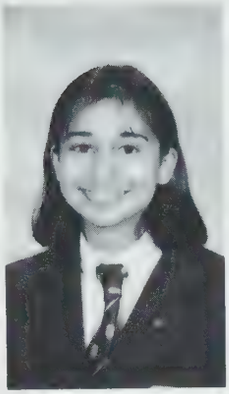

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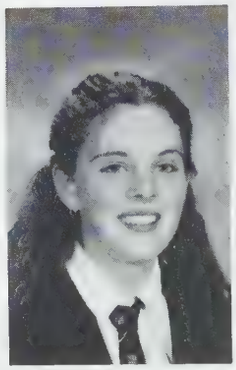

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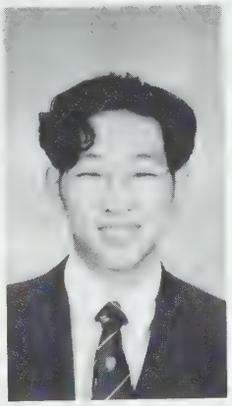

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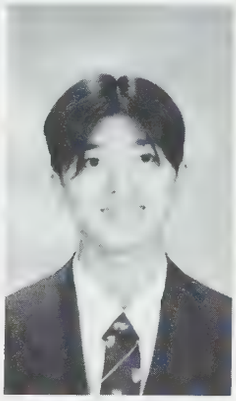

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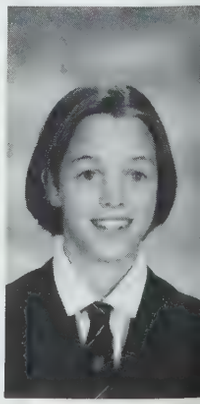

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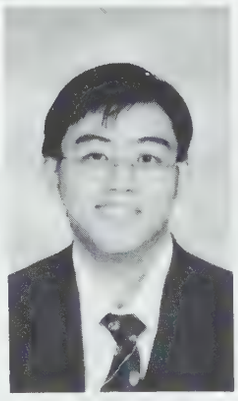

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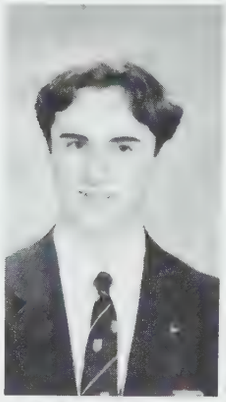

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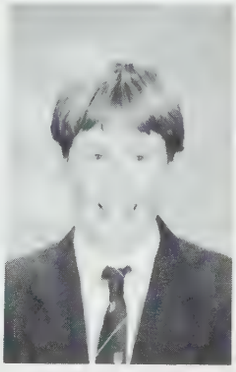

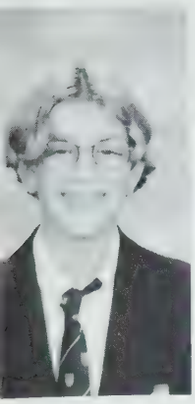

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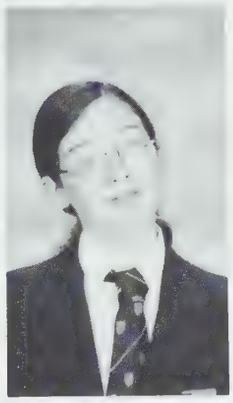

Jessica Terry

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Fiona Trotter

Peter Vallance

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Luke Webb

Shaun Westra

Scott Whitelaw

Christopher Wong

Lauren Woolsey

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Loudest Person
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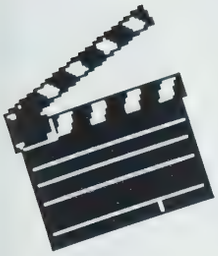

THE EXTRAS

Chris Adams

Nicholas Anderson

Anusha Balram

Amy Benskin

Griffith Birkbeck

Kristen Bourke

Diana Boyce

Izaak Branderhorst

Patrick Cerisano

Sarah Chettleburgh

Michael Collyer

Joseph Crapo

Sam Dennison

Karin Doty

Amy Dove

Murray Down

James Eckert

Jordan Fraser

Claire Gibbs

Christopher Greer

Laith Hahn

Daniel Hewko

Robin Hilton

Nathaniel Horlroyd

Lyle Jordan

David Josephson

Robert Jurek

Christine Kereluk

Nam-Hyung Kim

Tristram Lansdowne

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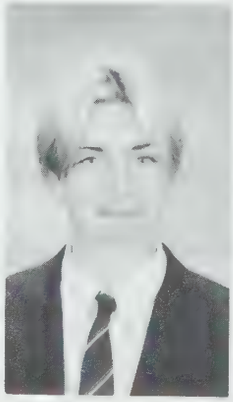
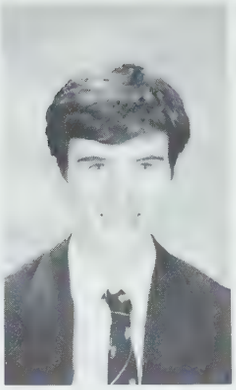
Regan McAvoy

Tricia McKerrell





Laura Melling

Amy Mitchell

Sean Muhlack

Britta Nordean

Liam O'Brien

Duncan Penn

Charles Philp

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Sundeep Rana

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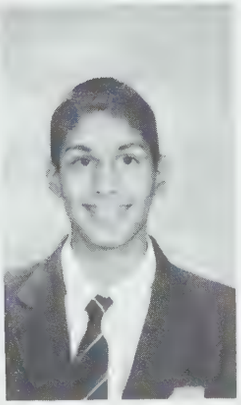
Katie Scott-Moncrieff



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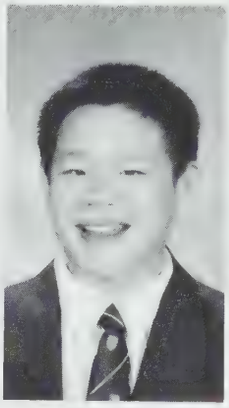

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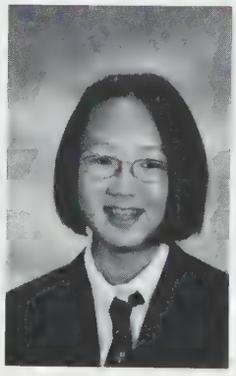

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Julie Brierley

Paul Mais

Scott Lucyk

Brian Yang

Jeremy King

Karen Hsu

Alec Matthews

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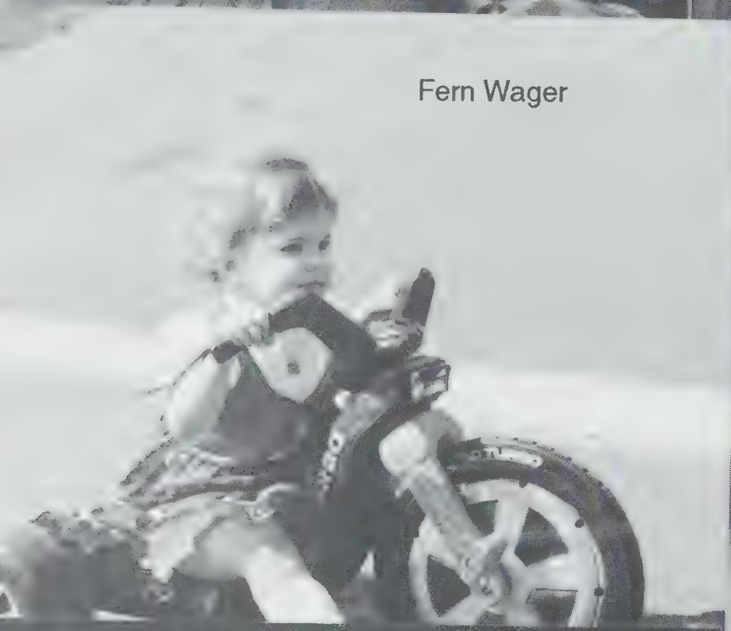
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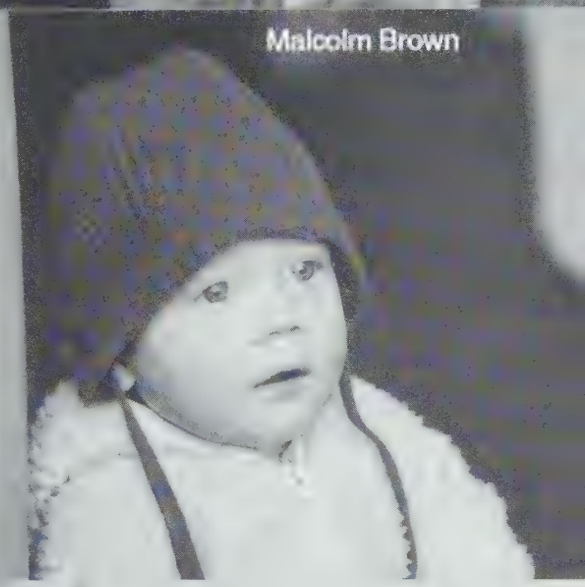
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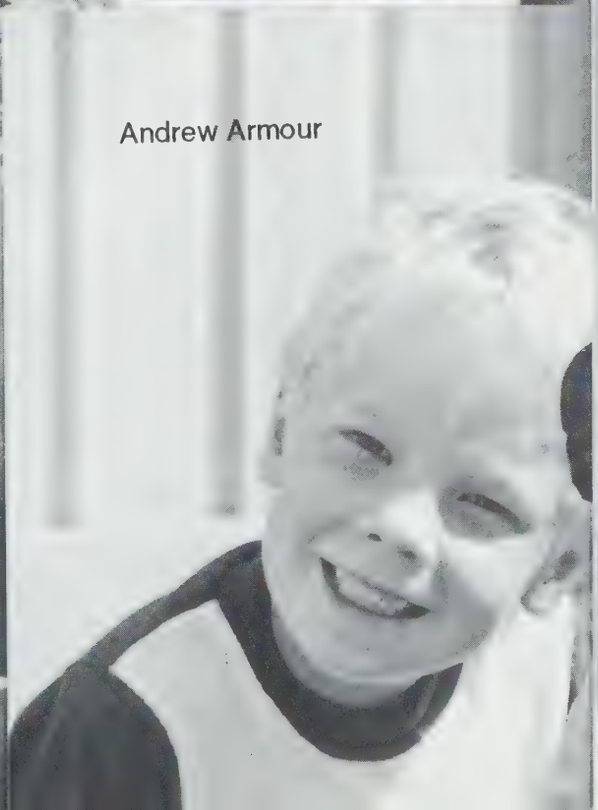
Willie Mitchell


Andrew Armour

Tegan McMartin

• Jazz singer Ella Fitzgerald, the "First Lady of Song" dies
• George Burns, famous comedian, dies at 100
• Lew Ayres, actor, acclaimed for his role in the 1930 film, *All Quiet on the Western Front* dies
• Claudette Colbert, academy award winning actreess of Hollywood's golden era dies
• Dorothy Lamour, singer and actress. Known as the "Sarong Girl" of vintage Hollywood dies
• Gene Kelly, Hollywood actor and dancer dies
• Marcello Mastrioanni, Italian actor dies
Timothy Leary, sixties activist dies
•Francois Mitterrand, former President of France dies
• Joe Ghiz, former premier of P.E.I. dies
• Robert Bourassa, Premier of Quebec, 1970-1976, and 1985-1994 dies
• Ernest Manning, father of Preston Manning and leader of Alberta from 1943 to 1968 dies
• Carl Sagan, astronomer dies
• Hagood Hardy, Canadian composer, known for writing "The Homecoming," dies
• Dancer Juliet Prowse dies
• Donovan Bailey captures Olympic 100m Gold Medal in Atlanta, Georgia
• The New York Yankees Win the World Series of Baseball
• Roberto Alomar creates a controversy after spitting at an umpire
• Denis Rodman pays a cameraman 200,000 dollars after kicking him in the groin
• Canada's loses final of the inaugural World Cup of Hockey Series to the U.S.
• Canada's junior team beat out the U.S. in World Junior Hockey Championships
• The Toronto Argonauts beat the Edmonton Eskimos to win the Grey Cup
• Colorado Avalanche win the Stanley Cup in four games over the Florida Panthers
• Chicago Bulls win NBA Championship
• Former Prime Minister Brian Mulroney sues the government for 50 million dollars over airbus scandal.
• Prime Minister Jean Chretian scuffles with protestor during demonstration
• Deputy Prime Minister Sheila Copps rsigns over broken promise to scrap the GST. She is re-elected soon after.
• The Worst snow storm since 1916 hits Victoria. Residents stop bragging about the weather to relatives abroad.
• Terrible flooding in the Saguenay region of Quebec forces 12,000 people form their homes.
• A bomb blast in Sri Lanka kills 78 and injures 450 people.
• The IRA, after a 17-month ceasefire in its war against the English, resumes bombings.
• TWA Flight 800 explodes, killing 230 people.
• The Summer Olympic Games are held in Atlanta, Georgia.
• Marxist Rebels in Lima, Peru, take over

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Japanese Ambassor's Residence and hold 450 hostages.

• A fierce wind storm gusting up to 169 km an hour hits Vancouver Island, toppling trees and crashing boats onto the shore of the Junior Boy's Campus

• U.S. Democratic President Bill Clinton, is re-elected for a second and final term. Republican Bob Dole loses.

• Jean-Louis Roux resigns as Quebec's Lieutenant-Governor, after admitting participating in anti-conscription demonstration in 1942.

• Russian President Boris Yeltsin has heart bypass operation.

• Popular films of the year include: *Independence Day*, *Twister*, *Mission:Impossible* and *The Rock*.

• Massive cuts to CBC radio and television force corporation to restructing process

• Mother Teresa celebrates 86th birthday after suffering a near-fatal hear attack.

• 300,000 demonstrators demonstrate in downtown Belgrade to protest the annulment of local election results favouring opposition candidates to President Slobodan Milosevic

• Monaco celebrates 700th anniversary of its monarchy.

• According to a survey conducted by *George* magazine, one in ten Americans still believe Elvis is alive.

• A Fredericton store employee received bumps, bruises and a broken rib after frenzied shoppers trampled him in pursuit of a Tickle-Me Elmo doll

• 349 people die in a midair collision southwest of New Delhi between a Saudi Arabian jetliner and a cargo plane from Kazakhstan

• Defence minister David Collenette and General Jean Boyle, chief of defence staff resign

• U.S. Presient Bill Clinton uses veto to make sure UN secretary General Boutros Boutros-Ghali would not get a second term

• Sarah Ferguson releases a tell all book, *My Story*

A MARINE BOMB: A fierce storm packing hurricane-force winds that gusted up to 169 km an hour hit Vancouver Island, knocking down trees, toppling street lights, crashing pleasure boats into rocks, and cutting power to about 16,000 homes in the Victoria area. The disturbance, described by meteorologists as a marine bomb—a storm that quickly intensifies as it approaches a coastline—resulted in one traffic death near Ladysmith, 70 km north of Victoria. Some observers labelled it the area's worst storm in 35 years. It also hit the B.C. mainland, bringing high winds, rain and power outages in the Vancouver region and, in some places, snow.

Photo of the Year

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Chrétien and protester Clennett: snarly days of 1996

Foreign Flicks

Japanese Exchange
William Woodbury and Yuske Namiki

GAP Students
Phil Hendon and Rob Pollock

New Zealand Exchange
Katriona Grant, Caroline Tosswill, Sarah Morris, Bronwyn Illingworth

German Exchange
Anne Väth, Elizabeth Punnett, Judith Schicklinski, Gwen Preston, Stephanie Axmann and Anna Bircks.

THE SET
BACH
VERITATE VALORE
OPTIME
AGI
CLUBS

Back Row: Katie Brierley, Abby Ranger, Nick Rowe, Alexandra Hayes, Jennifer Tanner, Clea Bigelow-Nutall, Beau Kliabert
Middle Row: Anne-Marie Panduro, Alex Dutton, Holly Hilton, Annie Vallance, Jennifer Magdalenich, Michelle Crow
Front Row: Nicky Newsome, Tony Jondahl, Sarah Edwards, Laura Lapp, Christine Loucas, Laura Jurek, Colin Hobbs, Sarah Causton, Munira Jessa, Mr. Melville
Missing: Fern Wager, Ben Axmann, Bianca Bodley, Malcolm Brown, Brian Yang, David Josephson, Katie Soles, Andrew Scott-Moncrie Andrew Lane, Suzanne Jolly, Amelia Smith, Alistair Brown, Eden Ratson, Amy Mitchell

Student Council

The GNS Student Council is made up of a broad cross-section of the Senior School. It consists of the 20 Home Form Reps, representatives of various organizations in the school, such as the Peer Counsellors and the International Students Group, and is led, of course, by the Prefects. Beau and Abby, this year's Head Boy and Head Girl, preside over the Student Council.

As usual, the Student Council organized the three dances, at Halloween, Christmas, and Valentine's. This is always a big job, and this years Council did an excellent job of it. The dances were well attended, and everyone had a good time.

A new activity for the Student Council this year was to send members to student conferences. Four students represented GNS at the BC Student Leadership Conference held at the Victoria Conference Centre in early November. The students reported having a great time and being challenged to face student leadership issues. As a result of the great interest these four students showed in the conference, it is likely that the Student Council will continue to send students to other conferences.

Prefects

Back Row: Bianca Bodley, Abby Ranger, Beau Klaibert, Malcolm Brown
Middle Row: Annie Vallance, Holly Hilton, Brian Yang
Front Row: Katie Brierley, Ben Axmann, Fern Wager, Nicky Newsome

Sports Council

The sports council has been active this year i organizing the twice weekly Intermurals. A separate time for the junior events has been created to encourag younger students to join in. The sports council also held a successful Swim Meet this year, including som new events. They'll keep up the dynamics at this year's Track Meet.

Back Row: Timothy McKay, Malcolm Brown, Tyrone Trotter, Ben Axmann, Patrick Costello
Front Row: Bianca Bodley, Laura Lapp, Katie Brierly, Fern Wager
Missing: Nicky Newsome

Jr. Debating

Back Row: Alex Dutton, Eden Ratson, Stephanie Axmann, Stephanie Loucas, Sukhi Rana, Ms. Girard
Front Row: Alice Whittick, Emily Arvay, Emily Paddon, Clea Bigelow-Nuttal, Soloman Siegel, Gwen Preston
Missing: Nicholas Vining, Claire Gibbs, Gemma Levinson, Amy Beskin, Chris Greer, Sundeep Rann, Fiona Trotter, Sasha Appleton, Mark Costello, Jenni McKay, Bryan Thurtell, Katie Matthews, Anika Sekhon, Alex Richardson, Dov Schafer, Martin Conklin, Lyle Jordan

Sr. Debating

Back Row: Munira Jessa, Graham Hicks, Allan Braden, Tony Jondahl
Middle Row: Alex Dutton, Christina Loucas, Eden Ratson, Bianca Bodley, Matt Taddy, Ian Buchanan
Front Row: Annie Vallance, Abby Ranger
Missing: Cam McPherson, Philipp Hertel, Paul Ryzuk

Junior and Senior Debating

This year was a great success for the very strong and always enthusiastic Debating team. They competed at several tournaments, including Newman FISA, Ravenhurst, a Bilingual Invitational hosted by St. George's, and the Regional. The Juniors enjoyed their Monday evenings meetings during which they debated, hosted guest speakers, and, of course, ate pizza. The debaters would like to thank their coaches Mrs. Girard, Mr. Brooks and Mrs. Chatterton for their time and effort.

Public Speaking

Jenny McKay, Abigail Ranger, Lottie Northeast, Ms. Chatterton, Stephanie Axmann, Patrick Costello

Choir

This is a very eventful year for the senoir choir. We've had the largest choir yet, with over 80 members! The Chorus of Choirs went well, and the Christmas Carol Service, as usual, was a great success. Mrs. Humer and the Choir Ensemble are leading the group in new pieces planned for the trip to the Banff Music Festival in April.

Back row: Meghan Macphereson, Allison Ward, Lindsey Smerdon, Stefan Hudson, Chris Cowell, Katriona Grant, Steve Biggs, Jennifer Magdelenich, Ian Scott-Paulson, Ross Green, Andrew McCallum, Morgan Blake, Tristan Davis, Patrick Tuckey
4th row: HyungJoo Youn, Rachel Lee, Allison Lee, Ayaka Ichihara, Denise Lam, Jennifer Irvine, Elizabeth Punnet, Katie Soles, Laura Lapp, Jill Newsome, Ashley Freeman, Brydie McMullen, Fiona Trotter, Katie Matthews, Vicky Hsu, Laura Jurek, Ms. Humer.
3rd row: William Woodbury, Sarah Chettleburg, Candace Lapp, Reagan McAvoy, Heather Taddy, Laura Melling, Britta Nordean, Christa Sakalauskas, Gemma Levinson, Robin Hill, Raymond Tai, Brian Yang, Bill Teng
2nd row: Jesse Davis, Marina Steele, Karen Hsu, Emily Yang, Whitney Stetson, I-Jan Chen, Ellie Lin, Emily Arvay, Terrance Chen, Simon Tai,
1st row: Patrick Humer, Jordan Frasier, Nicky Newsome, Tegan McMartin, Katie Brierly, Jennifer Smerdon, Anusha Balram, Christine Keroulac, Nadene Lee, Rebecca Domovitch, Karin Doty

Jazz Choir

This enthusiastic group of singers has been experimenting with a little of the Beatles and a little of the Boogie this year. They hope to join up with the Jazz Band for a few songs in the future. Keep the beat!

Back Row: Mrs. Humer, Lindsay Smerdon, Katie Matthews, Andrew McCallum, Katriona Grant, Stephan Hudson, Jennifer Magdalenich, Laura Lapp
Front Row: Allison Ward, Alison Lee, Laura Jurek, Racheal Lee Missing: Chris Cowell

Stock Market Club

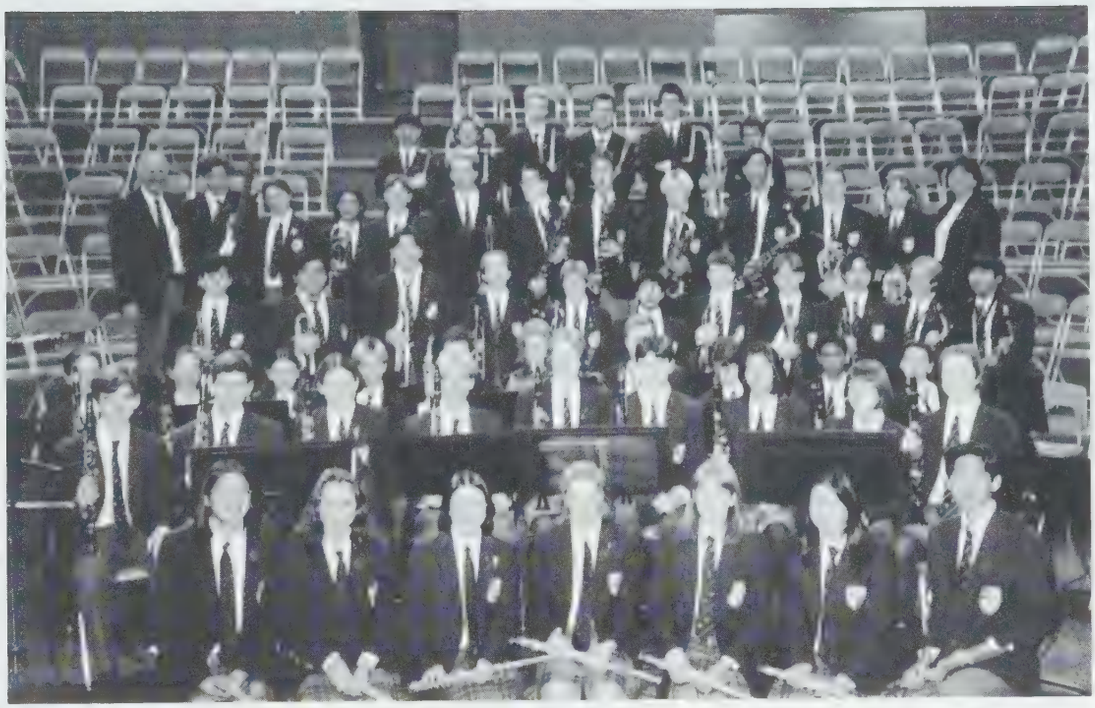
Though the Stock Market Competition has not started yet we expect to start by the second week in February. The competition is for high school students from all across Canada and last year involved more than 25,000 students. The competition involved trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange and all trades are done over the Internet.
This year GNS has over 50 players from all grades on 13 teams. This is the third year of the competition and we have every expectation that we will once again win our Region . Our goal this year is to in fact win the National Championship. Good luck to all of our team members!

Our GNS Climbing Club Explores the 3rd Dimension

Our new club is taking students to new heights of athleticism and mental concentration. After "learning the ropes" in an introductory course we began ten weeks of club climbing in the indoor facilities of Crag-X, Victoria's hottest new gym. Mr. "Rock" Lidstone and keen membership of twenty students practice bouldering overhang technique, rope management, pitch climbing, and work on strengthening and conditioning exercises. Climbing games and friendly competition round out ou indoor activities and by May the club is working toward outdoor experiences at the cliffs of Saxe Point in Esquimalt, and is dreaming about a visit to the fabulous climbing oppurtunities of Squamish, B.C.

Band

First row: Loren Li, Jennifer Murdoch, Patricia Au, Brenna Eldridge, Alexandra Hayes, Deanna Louie, Eric Tsai
Second row: Liam O'Brien, Christopher Greer, Clare Gibbs, Scott Whitelaw, Jennifer Tanner, Mark Tallentire, Denise Lam, Becky Fisi, Lindsey Wier
Third row: Rachael Webb, Kristen Bourke, Diana Boyce, James Madson, Ryan Farley, Emily Barlou, Stafford Harper, Michael Magdalenich, Kurin Sekhan, Charles Philp
Fourth row: Rhys McKinnon, George Chen, Gwen Preston, Robin Hilton, Sundeep Rann, Robert Tanner, Ayaka Ichihara, Lauren Woolsey, Lenny Ng
Fifth row: Mr. McCullough, Michael Adams, Brydie McMullen, Munira Jessa, Kevin Quinlan, Jeff Paulson,Sam Dennison , James Walker, Dov Schafer, Michael Lee, Meghan Dove, Fiona Trotter, Mrs. Bailey
Back row: Michael Lum, Geoff Price, Tyrone Trotter, Chris Fodor, Andrew Fodor, Cam Wallace



Jazz Band

Back Row: Patrick Costello, Jeff Poulson, Mike Adams, Tyrone Trotter, Steve Lerch
Middle Row: Ryan Farley, Graham Hicks
Front Row: Phil Hendon, George Chen, Gwen Preston, Loren Wolsley, Emily Barlow, Patricia Au, Robin Hilton, Kevin Quinan

Gryphon

Back Row: Nicky Newsome, Jeremy King, Teagan McMartin, Charlotte Northeast, Katie Brierley, Alex Hertel
Front Row: Eden Ratson, Stephanie Axmann
Missing: Nicholas Vining, Nitin Kahre

Peer Counsellors

Back Row: Mr.Butt, Brian Yang
Middle Row: Stephanie van Citters, Denise Lam, Hilary Parry, Meghan MacPherson, Annie Valance, Jennifer Smerdon, Elizabeth Mears
Front Row: Munira Jessa, Christina Worster, Anika Sekhon, Suhki Rana, Alec Mathews, Clea Bigelow-Nutall
Missing: Suzanne Jolly, Cam MacPherson

SKY Club

This year the SKY Club (Special Kiwanis Youth) has been busy with various activities, such as the Thanksgiving and Christmas Hampers, the Candy Raffle and other community service activities. We are looking forward to a busy spring and an awesome conference in May. Thanks to all the Club members and especially to Mrs. Sapriken. Go SKY!

Back Row: Eric Tsai, Taylor Chen, Simone Weyand, Loren Li, Chris Fodor, Andrew Fodor, Ayaka Iehihara, Raymond Tai, Terrence Chen
Middle Row: Simon Tsai, James Lin, Ellie Lin, Susanna Knauff, Allison Lee, Rachel Lee, Karen Hsu, Emily Yang, Munira Jessa, Mrs. Sapriken
Front Row: Bill Teng, Megan Dove, Nathan Limpus, Brain Yang
Missing: Jenn Tanner

Back Row: Sandra Weyand, Amy Barnard, Carolyn Fisher, Amber York, Alison Barrett, Justine Kerkham
Middle Row: Katie Simmons, Susan Melville, Mrs. Kerkham
Front Row: I-Jan Shen, Marina Steele

Public Affairs

This has been a stellar year for the ladies of the Public Affairs Club. They have put enthusiasm and effort into the organization, the Fast, Earth Day and Amnesty International. They have also participated in major international conferences and have thus become more politically enriched. The club looks forward to more travel and political action next year.

Caister Mackenzie

The red swarms can be seen any day at any time around the school. Caister's colour is always flying in the lead: At the swim meet our flex team with their ripped biceps and ample cleavage; the mascot raising spirit with his tricycle and crazy manoeuvres; and, of course, all those red people with pompoms and the boom-chucka cheer. At any intermurals, whether it be slam dunking, goal getting, or hoola hoopin', Caister's always out in full colour and spirit. Thanks to everyone who made this year a successful one for Caister and good luck in the future!

House Captain-Fern Wager
Vice-Captains-Pat Costello, Chris Kelly

Dereham Fraser

Well Dereham Bravehearts,

What a year! Even though at times the other houses overwhelmed us with their numbers, our tenacity led us to many laughs and fun times. Congratulations Dereham, we were in fact, the only house to have a live mascot. Her name is Kea, but the members of the other houses were so intimidated by her presence that they called her "Death." Many thanks to Laura, my great and loyal vice-captain.

House Captain-Katie Brierley
Vice Captain-Laura Lapp

Walsingham Thompson

This year without a doubt, Walsingham Thompson continued its complete domination in the Pooley Cup standings. At this time Walsingham is well on its way to the fourth victory in the past four years. Many thanks to all of the loyal WT members who came out to intermurals every week for we surely made the other houses green with envy. It was greatly appreciated. Good luck to the Green Machine for next year and I look forward to hearing more stories of Walsingham domination.

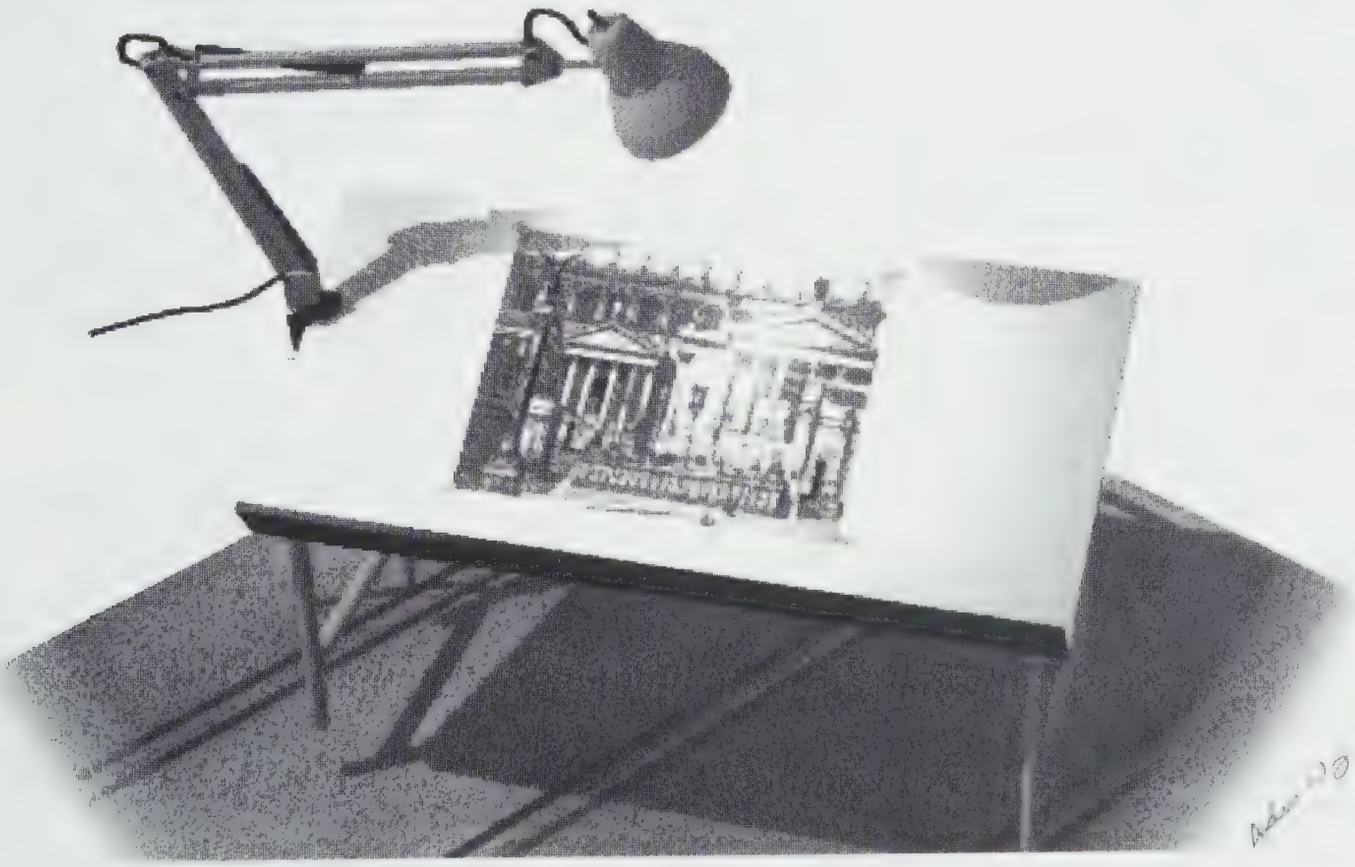
House Captain-Ben Axmann
Vice Captain- Tyrone Trotter

Wymondham Douglas

Wymondham-Douglas has really outdone itself this year. Our pride and enthusiasm saw no bounds as we crushed the competition at the intermurals. As usual, we also had the pleasure of watching blue, red and green drown in a sea of gold at the swim meet and again left them on their knees at the track meet! It has been an honour leading the most spirited house this year. Best of luck in the years to come (as if you'll need it)! All hail the house of gold!

House Captain- Nicky Newsome
Vice Captain-Tim McKay

Art & Literature



My Friend

A purging of the filth
gathered on his journey
through the world
of my backyard.
His fouled-up bedside manners
repulse all concerned.
Chicken fat, string, and paper towel
form wonderful late-night gifts.
Crusted sheets
smell awful.

Geoff Price
Grade 9

evening glow

blue, orange, purple
million colours in the sky

every second it changes
like human feelings

a painting is not enough
a photograph is too clear

only
your heart can tell you
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Ayari Yokokura
Grade 10

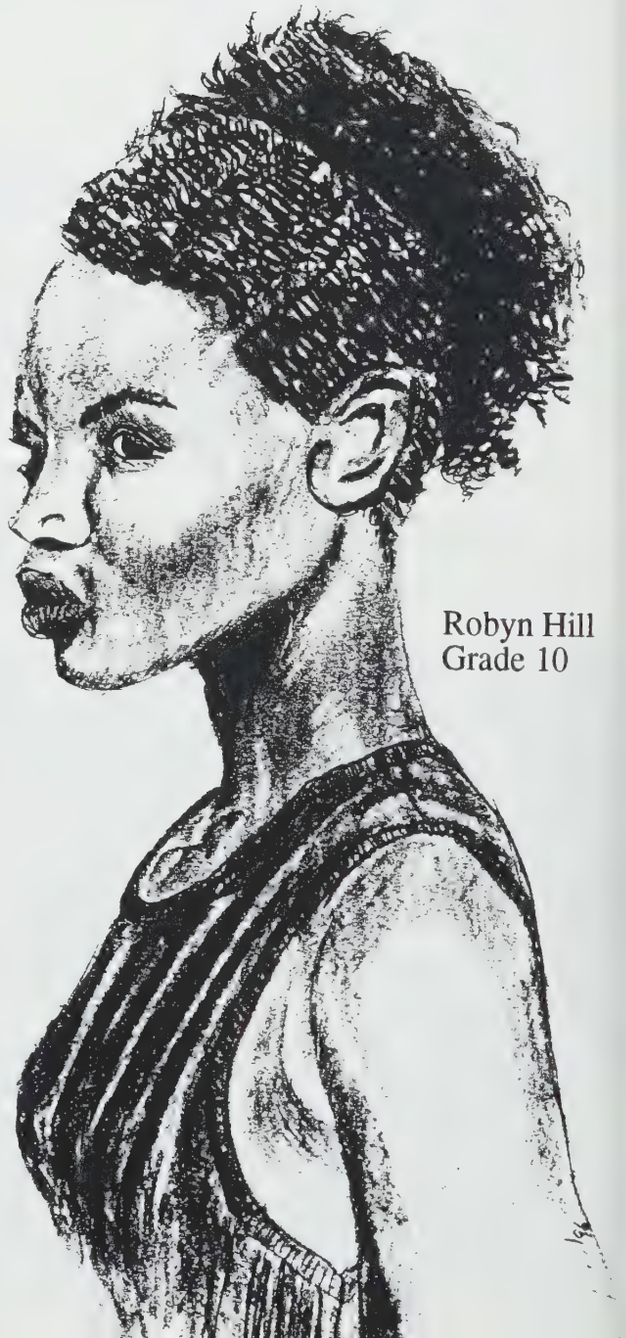
The Graves of Youth

I remember the years
When I could see what was true and full of honour,
When I could understand the life that grew around me.
I could feel the pulse of the earth under a blazing sun,
The consuming breath of the wind which blows through you
If you care to inhale,
The delicate perfection of a flower,
The innocence of a child's eyes,
The goodness in the human heart.

With war we are blinded from all this,
And left only with life's lies,
Left with tainted glory and bated breath,
With wounded hearts full of pain, and regret.
War makes murderers of the innocent,
Wasted years spent digging graves in the mud,
Your own grave you must stand watch for tonight.

Stay awake to hear
The whistling blackbirds of the destruction fly overhead.
Stay alert to feel
The cold mud harden on every limb of your body.
Keep close watch
To see the glowing whites of soldiers' eyes as they stare at you
From blackened skulls.
Lay your head down in the damp, dark grave you dug.
Clench your gun: your only friend.
Hold your memories deep within,
Guard them from this blasphemy of life,
This perilous darkness,
From the prowling beast which stalks you to steal your soul.

Bianca Bodley
Grade 12



Robyn Hill
Grade 10

The New Drum

I hope that land is large
For I have not travelled
That far.
Every time I go,
The moon is Always.
The sun,
It will disappear
But the moon is
Infinite.
It sits on its pale
Blue throne and stares.
It reminds
Life that it continues
And convinces the oceans
To retreat and explore
While I sit here
On the beach with my beauty.
I am reminded of life,
The voyage, the discovery.
For that never ends,
And that is why
Every cynic or pessimist
Cannot shoot down my sails.
Although the ship sinks, the crew swims.
It builds a new vessel
And continues drumming out
A new beat to the same
Old moon.

Cameron McPherson
Grade 12

Fourteen years,
I have suffered,
Crying millions of tears,
Because of him.

I have suffered too many blows,
Not many marks seen,
But no one, no one knows,
How many bruises are inside,

Internal injuries, that no one sees,
Always hurting,
This incurable disease.

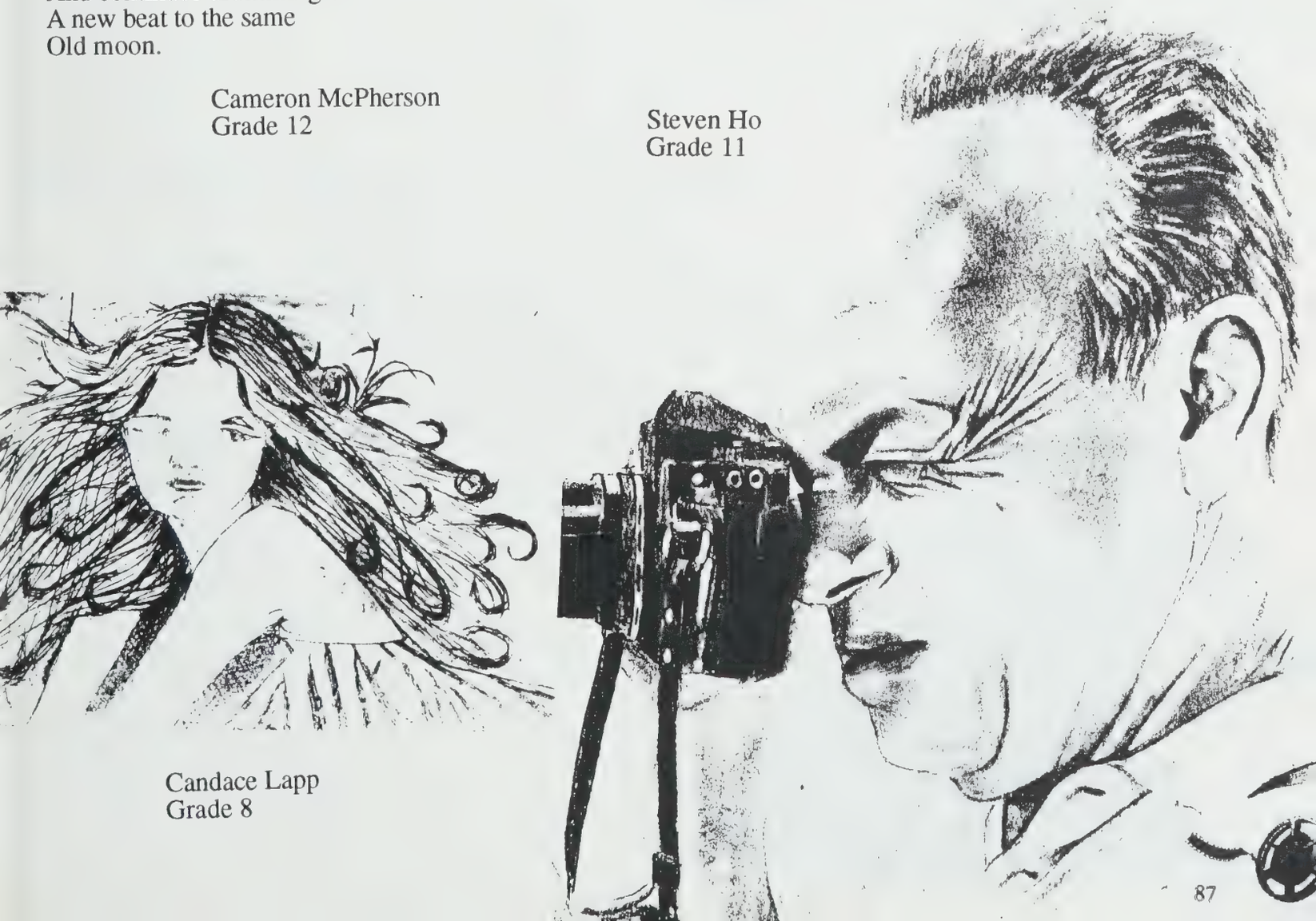
No one spoke up to save me here,
I even told them,
But no one moved to cease my fear.

I do not blame her,
For we had no where to go.
I blame you, and him, though.

He was the one who killed me,
But you stood by,
Pretending you didn't see a thing,
Pretending you didn't see me cry.

Anonymous

Steven Ho
Grade 11



Candace Lapp
Grade 8

Who Will Stop the Reign?

Children are dying,
We can't help them.
Mothers are crying,
No one can stop them.

Famine is growing,
They say help is on its way,
The rivers stopped flowing,
You can't believe what they say.

War is breaking out,
No one's fault but our own.
No one can stop the drought,
Death is the tone.

Angus Bridgman
Grade 12

Allison Lee
Grade 10

Ellie Lin
Grade 11

Matilda's Pee

is the colour of honey or caramelized sugar.
Almost like the shade of my mother's hair in the warm Mexican sun.
How about that beggar's skin over there?
Nah!
Her skin matches her pupils and infected velvet toe nails.
I think the colour of wealth and slimeness
and cleanliness look like Matilda's pee.
Not the colour of the brick layer's chocolate back,
ripened by the sun, or
the dark beetle juice of Coca-Cola that rots poor children's teeth.
Matilda's pee is not the colour of the real, outside world.
Matilda's pee is the artichoke heart sampled at dinner,
clean beaches and sand.
Maids and paved roads, jobs and
self-confidence.

Lindsay Weir
Grade 12

Cathedral

A chorus of lilting voices
Rise to fill the facade
Altos absorbing sopranos
and drowning in melody

A single
piecing
note

Quakes through the crowd
Silencing the masses

Drained
They look to the source
Of the off-key alarm

And are lost in a sea of empty faces

Eden Ratson
Grade 10

The Buddy Holly Story

Wes O'Brien
Grade 10

Salvation

One cold December afternoon, I sat at a bus stop, waiting. It was a day almost unlike any other, yet it was so much like every day that it hurts to think about it.

I sat quietly, on a bench outside a busy shopping centre, sipping a coke and watching people scurry past, seemingly in a hurry to get somewhere. The noise of the traffic muffled the voices of a crowd of boys, gathered further up the sidewalk. Individuals idled, waiting too, for their buses.

I suppose that if it hadn't been for a faint jingling that caught my attention, the day might have passed just as any other. At first, the sound blended into the acoustics that were the background for my now forgotten daydream. But the jingling became constantly more prominent. I soon recognized the bells. It was a sound that I had heard many times before, but hearing it this time, I finally understood its call. It was the call of thousands of people in pain. It was the call for salvation.

Nobody stopped to acknowledge the jingling. Life carried on, oblivious to these cries for help. A woman squinted to read a bus schedule on a pole, and then turned around to face me, her right eye cut and swollen. Across the street a man, after rummaging through a garbage can, bit into a half-eaten burger. My bus drove up. I walked towards it, leaving behind the jingling, my head lowered in shame.

Joanne Penhale
Grade 12

Mr. Davidson,
They're always shiny,
and looking brand new.
I can hear one,
a mile away,
just like you.
They're a part of my dreams,
and any time I see one,
I think to myself;
'If I was on that Harley,
I would own the road.'

Chris Fodor
Grade 9

Stephanie Axmann & Alice Whittick
Grade 10

Laura Jurek
Grade 11

Lines of Reality

A girl with a daisy she's holding
love-me...love-me-not
Like an alcoholic pixie she
hangs on a star
teeth biting the wire
biting the dust.

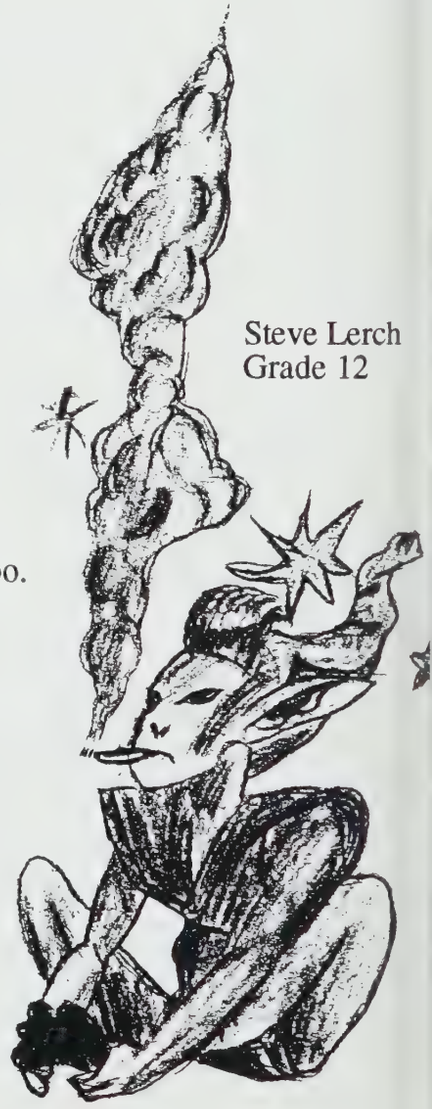
My friends all like her
but she's not who they think
She struts her tube tops with her pumps on.
The fat Jell-O holds on to his balloons
but sees life through a pair of foggy goggles.
The clock ticks on.

A boy, more man, looks dazed and confused
at the happy smiley face
as he takes another hit.
He likes music but for all that
he hated his world.
His face will forever be connected
with recycled paper.

Yeah, I watched them both on T.V. yesterday too.
everything came out in black and white
which made me wonder
where people hide the greys.

She was the teen idol and he
the voice of a generation.
Together like Barbie and Ken
they float
hovering between the thin line that divides
them and reality.

Emily Arvay
Grade 9



Steve Lerch
Grade 12

for a moment
everything is still
the world stops, it seems, just for you
the moment is perfect, everything works
then it resumes

Anonymous

Jeff Paulson
Grade 12

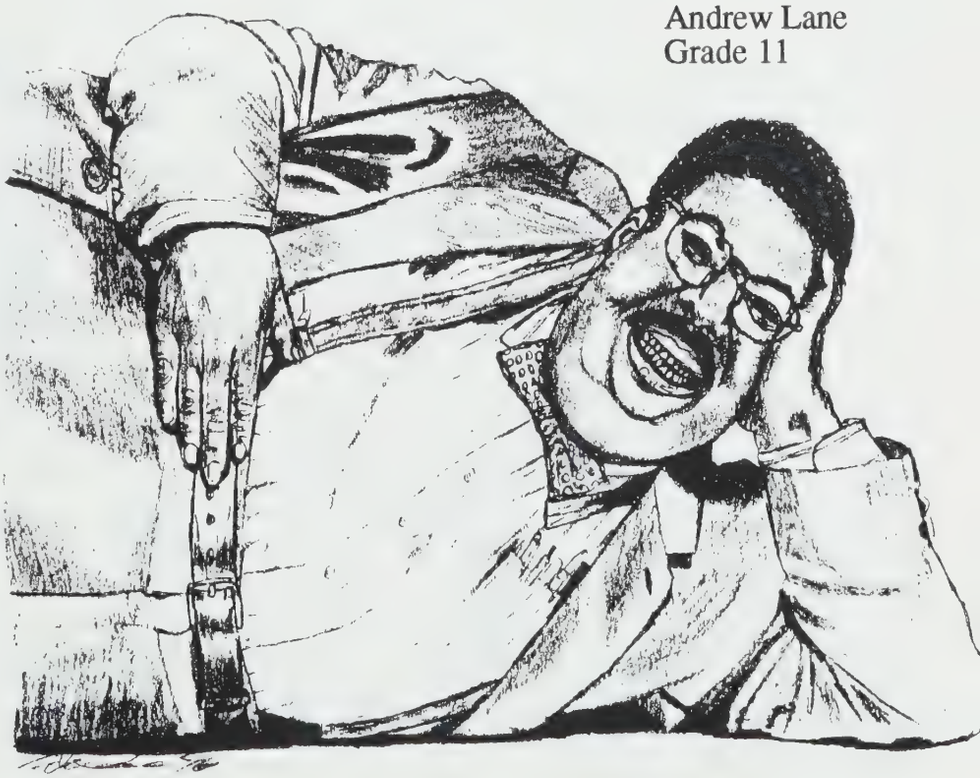
Mud

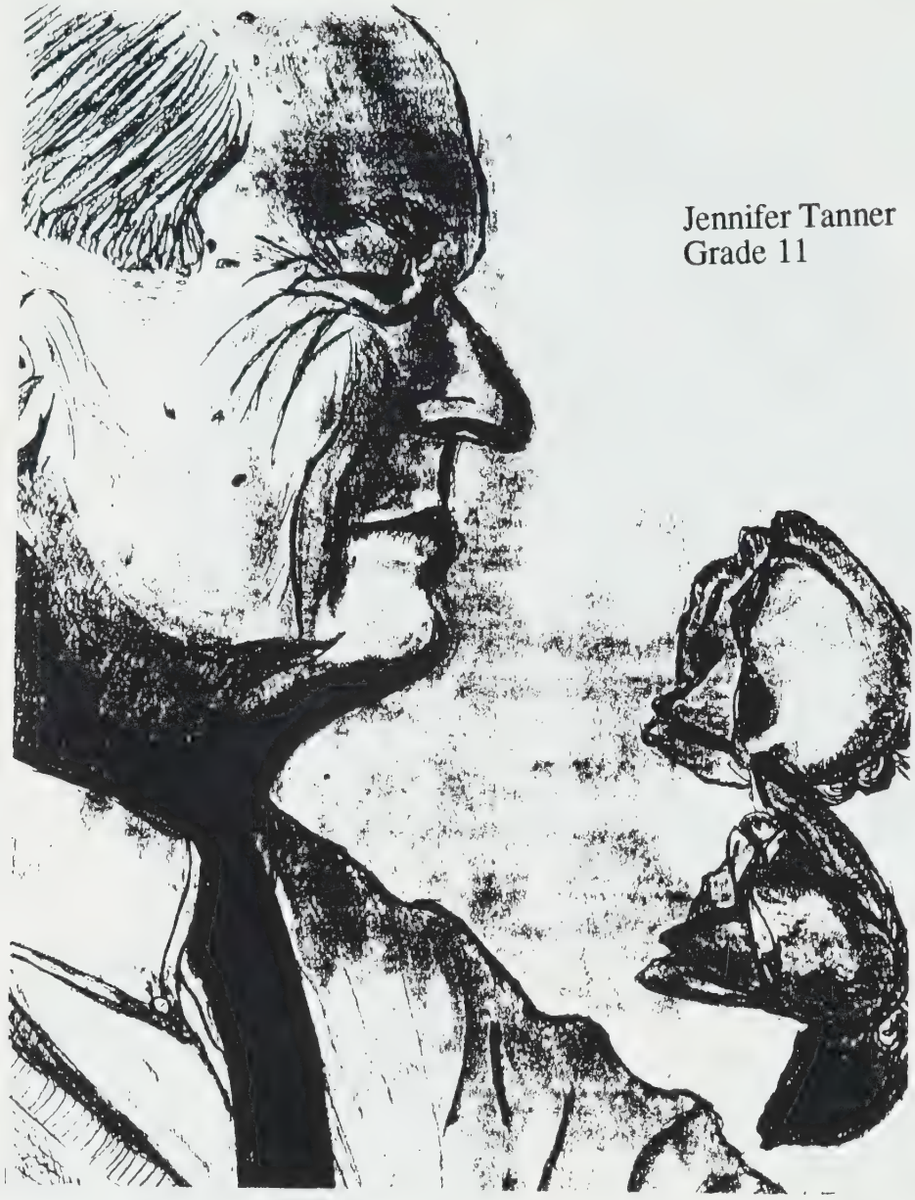
earth meets water-mud
the ground is a sea of cold, fetid clay
contaminated with dung
ferocious and hungry, it grabs
a leg, clutching, engulfing.
cold, whimpers beseech
as he lay drowning in a clay world
where men are dogs
and life is dead
and Love is forgotten
to gain a handful of mud
and wash in pain

death meets man - mud
his world is a sea of cold, fetid clay
contaminated with dung
ferocious and hungry it grabs
a heart, clenching devouring
lost cries unspoken
as he lay choking
in his world
where men are dogs
and time is money
and power life
and Love is forgotten
to and in a field of mire
and squint-ignore the Light
afraid, to see the Sun,
let go of the mud
and touch the sky

Karen Dean
Grade 11

Andrew Lane
Grade 11





Jennifer Tanner
Grade 11

the daisy and the door unopened

the sun gleams and watches
with sweaty eyes on the earth.

the black and white movie
of tingling and mingling
stops
for the first time you
see the colour of the daisy
see the shadows reflecting from
the door unopened.

the lily white
street light paused
and
i know you can't catch the rain.
and
it certainly doesn't echo
in the clustered jungle
in your mind.

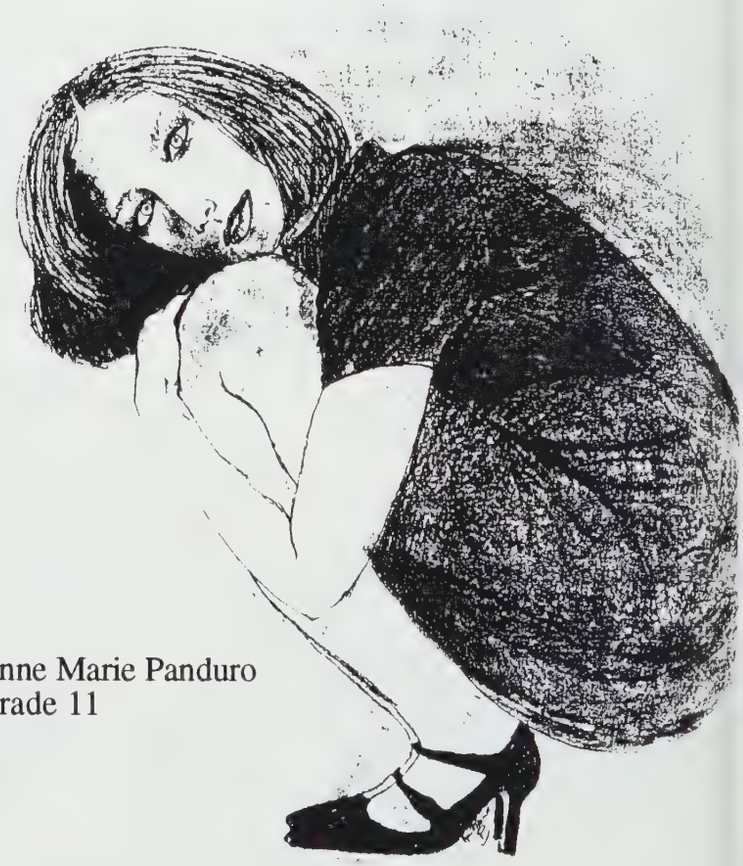
but the children of the immense
sun come down,
oblivious
and for the first time you can
see the colour of your favourite daisy
and the shadows on the door unopened.

Patrick Costello
Grade 11

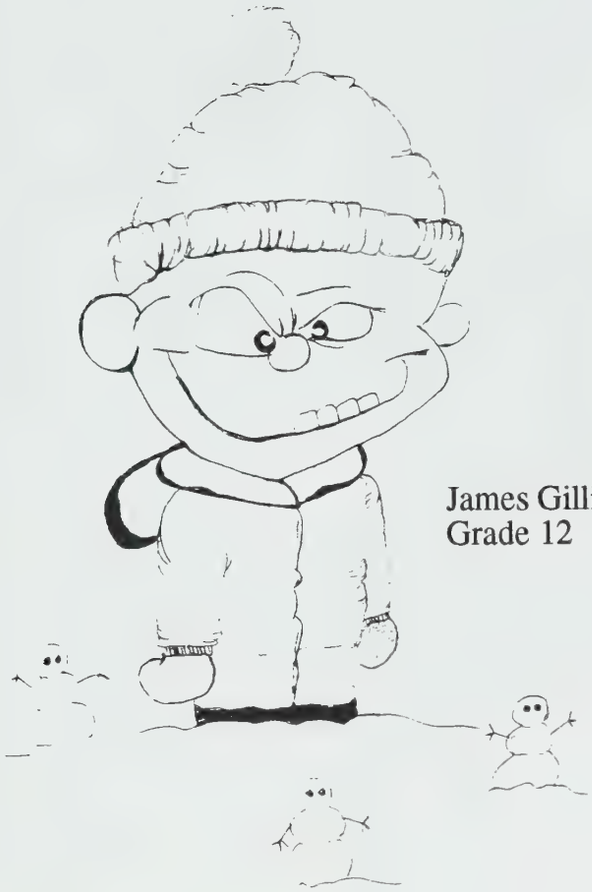
PRESSURE

The pressure pulses in me
Not pain, just pressure
It is my drug
Relaxation is going cold turkey
I like it out of control
I am different
I am powerful
I am better than you

Peter Vallance
Grade 9



Anne Marie Panduro
Grade 11



James Gillion
Grade 12

Time

I don't believe in time
I don't entrust
all hopes in time
I don't believe in the hope that
saves or swoops
the lowest valleys

I flow with the inborn urge
to believe
I think
therefore
I am
I am
therefore
I will be

I hear the drum of my subconscious
that reminds me
I am
and I can't fathom
not
even though I've been
being and
not being
and I don't recall
being not being
being so bad

Mark Costello
Grade 9

Reflections

Ignorant fool
Self-righteous bigot
Wasted old man
selfish child

O, father,
I am to respect you?
I am to love you

So many years
I've wanted to hurt
you.
Me -
So convinced of your evils

I didn't see myself
reflected
in the mirror of your mind

I didn't realise
What I truly loathed-
myself

Spencer Campbell
Grade 11

Bianca Bodley
Grade 11

SPRING FEVER

Hills rolling along,
unendless peace,
watching the water
with its little white caps,
a bird is flying close by
the tree in a fresh blossoming green.
Behind it, mountains
miles away
covered with snow,
the blue sky
no cloud in sight.
You step outside,
experiencing the cold breeze,
overpowered by a warm feeling inside.

Sandra Weyand
Grade 12

No More

I can see no more
I can hear no longer,
Surrounded by darkness and silence,
I am fear.

I can speak no clearer,
I can scream no further,
Limited by narrowness and orthodoxy,
I am angry.

I can communicate to no one,
I can think no better,
Segregated by thoughts and actions,
I am eager,
Eager to rebel.

I-Jan Shen
Grade 12

Dream Sequence: Nonconformity

My father
the social nonconformist
attends an elegant soiree
hosted by soft, golden candles
and a woman who owns far
too many pairs of shoes

the guests are
just people
who want to impress the shoe lady
and powdered women
with painted eyebrows who have
already stepped into the
high heeled
nose job society

servants stutter
and bring domed platters
aromatic with culture
while I sit with my father

and it becomes apparent
that something is on his head.

the primped hostess leans forward
fair skinned and braceleted

squinting, bemused

what she cannot see

is that his balding scalp is layered
with styrofoam peanuts
(the kind for packing breakable gifts
white and grey and ordered

maybe they are taped or maybe
they are glued

it's hard to tell
even for me

and I am so proud
that my throat aches
and I cannot bear to eat a bite.

Abby Ranger
Grade 12

The Sorrow Cloud

The sorrow cloud enshrouds you
disconnecting you
left humming like a dial tone
of sound.

No emotion dares to
transcend the stark barrier
that keeps us
lightyears apart.

We fly through the months
contained in
protective bubble-shields
and sit at tables
with room for only a few.

We traverse the rutted road
and safely stow our expressions
away from the public eye and
don masks of indifference.

No chance of joy
deserves the risk of self-exposure.
We hide the provocative and
stifle our differences.
We steep our shame in silence.

Danielle Worster
Grade 12

Christina Loucas
Grade 11

Murray Down
Grade 8

Discovery

Perched on top of an ice covered dome
I look down to a lifeless lego village below.
One breath of the crisp mountain air
cleanses the city impurities.
I finally feel pure and at peace
ready to discover myself
far from any bustle,
alone, on top of an ice covered dome.

Fern Wager
Grade 12

Night me with your arms wrapped round,
Crush me with tears of darkness from the land.
Gather moons from horizons of open prairie skies.
Eclipse star and cloud, and from the trenches
That bury our souls, time the closing of the day.
Reverse me with you and lie asleep in the
Shallow dark's eye. Rock to the humming of the trees
And the danger of nightfall.
Emerge from shadow and be bright
On a plaintive sheet of white paper.
Chant to the man in the moon and sing to the
Loneliness of the blackness.
Make love to the calm of night.
Sprawl in the hammock and watch the stars.
Soul yourself into blinded orbits.

Emily Paddon
Grade 9

Night's darkness wraps its comforting
Blanket around me,
The cold waking me up
In my imagination so I can
Walk freely among the stars.
The blanket is a bodyguard,
Making sure that I don't go near
Any being of light.
Wide awake, I take one yawn.
The night climbs into my mouth.
Suddenly I fall from the stars
Right into my bed.
The bright light of the sun
Makes me close my eyes
And fall asleep. The night
Has turned me nocturnal.

Patrick Humer
Grade 9

Night is dampness, coldness
On a winter morning.
Brave but afraid of losing
Touch, sight, and smell,
Unable to be free,
Like a caged rat.
Night is quiet, but steel boots
Can still be heard on wet gravel.
Nothing-
ness
Loneli-
ness
No love.

Caroline Maxwell
Grade 9

Night is the time when our sins come to haunt us.
At night the mind will give no rest nor respite.
It is a time to unwind but rest will not come.
The mind must turn and toss even when the
Body is asleep: why did we do things and
What should we have done.

Night is the slow death that creeps upon the day.
Every day night murders day and dawn murders ni
Night must use its short time to torment;
it gives no respite.
Night is quiet, tormenting Death.

Martin Conklin
Grade 9

Light changes to dark
Creatures to hunt, await prey,
soft steps in the Dark.

Jesse Davis
Grade 9

Night is peaceful
When the outdoors is quiet
And no tension is felt
Around the house.
From the moon shining,
Night escapes into the clouds
Abandoned,
Only darkness,
Alone, asleep.

Patricia Au
Grade 9

Night has two faces,
As the moon does:
One side, resting, relaxing,
Calm and peacefully quiet,
The other side, loneliness,
Darkness, exhaustion, worry
And frustrating quiet.

Lindsay Hounslo
Grade 9

The Candles

The candles are flickering,
On every forbidding night,
And out on that dark desert,
They're the only friendly sight.

The moths that hang around the candles,
Make it hard for them to live,
But even in their hardest troubles,
A bit of light, they still give.

And they struggle on and on,
Not relenting to any wind gust,
Like stars on a moonless night,
Shining forever more, as they must.

The moths, though, feel no shame,
For their evil deeds,
Just as when the flowers struggle in the overgrown garden,
No sorrow is felt by the weeds.

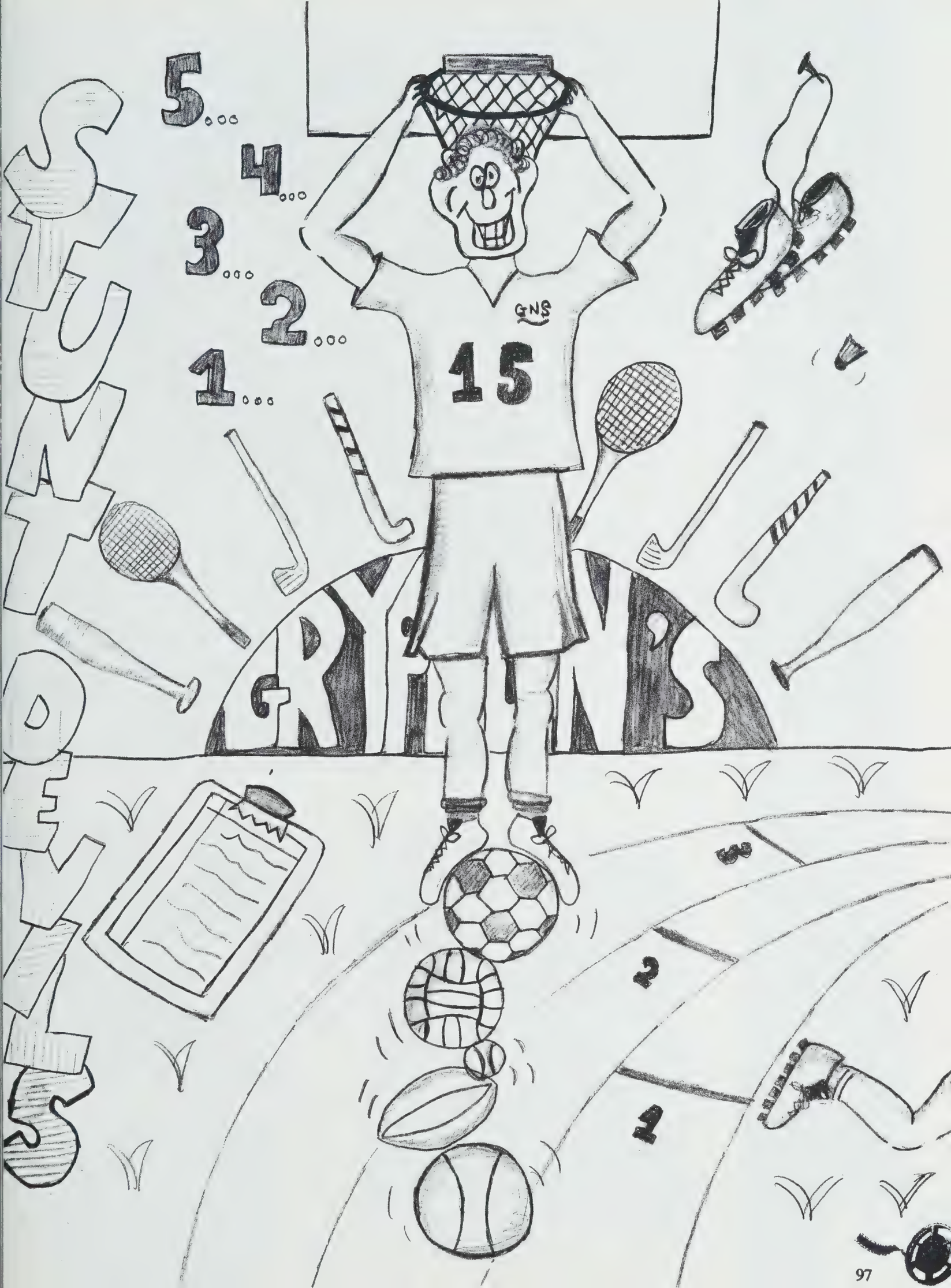
The candles light the barren land,
Making it seem more gentle than in actual fact,
And the four miners lying there, are grateful,
For the light which they had desperately lacked.

The candles also provide some fantastic hope,
For these exhausted men,
Of gold that they will all find someday,
But only God knows when.

So the candles continue glowing,
Making the world seem so very bright,
They keep all of us going,
And they help us do what is right.

So love the one who makes you happy,
Love the one who lulls your fright,
Love the one who is a flickering candle,
And manages to lighten up the world's forbidding night.

Suzanne Jolly
Grade 11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Sports Captains

This year has been very busy and we've seen some exciting changes. At the swim meet we saw the true character and spirit of the houses, and in the end the results were close as we were all contendors. We burned up the track at the start of spring, as the meet was a enjoyable challenge. We threw intramurals for a loop with a groovy Hawaiian twist, while our house captains waged war with cleaning utensils. One of the most exciting events was the first ever Decathalon, where the houses could flaunt their strengths.

We would like to thank the sports council for their enthusiasm, new ideas and support thoughout the year. It has been one to remember.

Bianca Bodley and Malcolm Brown

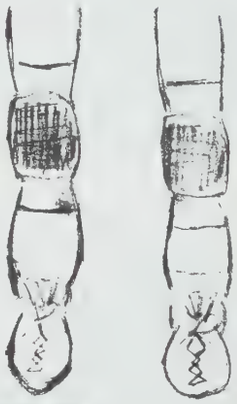
Field Hockey

Senior Girls Field hockey: *Coaches-* Mr. Jackson and Kelly Martin
Briana Illingworth, Katriona Grant, Katie Brierly, Bianca Bodley (Captain), Samantha Reid, Michelle Hounslow, Holly Hilton, Fern Wager, Sandra Weyand Katie Soles, Amelia Smith, Laura Lapp, Bronwyn Illingworth

Junior Girls Field Hockey
Coach-Ms. Drever
Stephanie van Citters
Susan Melville
Michelle Crow
Erin Fitzpatrick
Carolyn Fisher
Jennifer Irvine
Caroline Maxwell
Lindsay Hounslow
Alex Dutton
Stephanie Clark
Robyn Hill
Alice Whittick
Robin Hilton
Candace Lapp
Katie McFetridge
Sandeep Girin
Anna Bircks

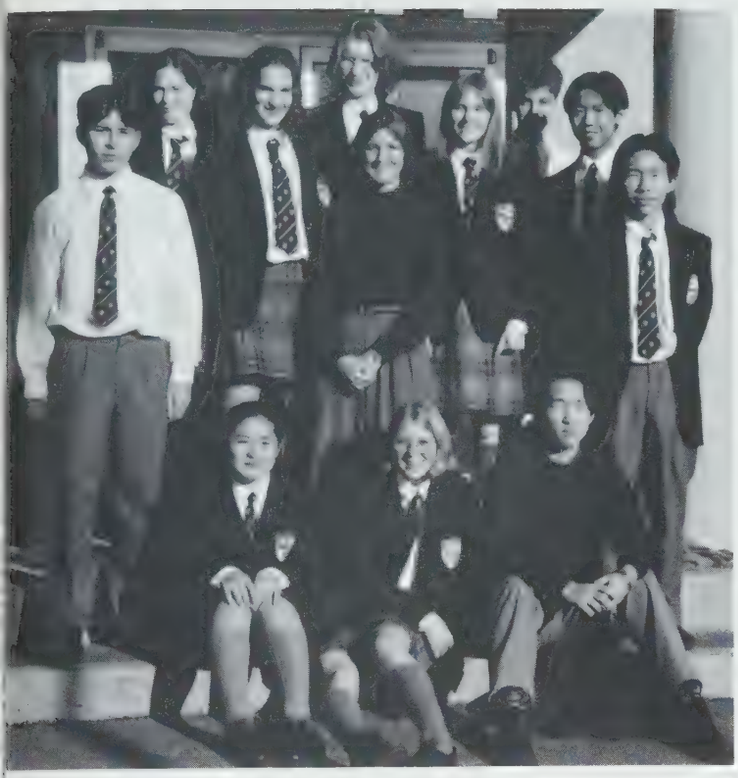
Volleyball

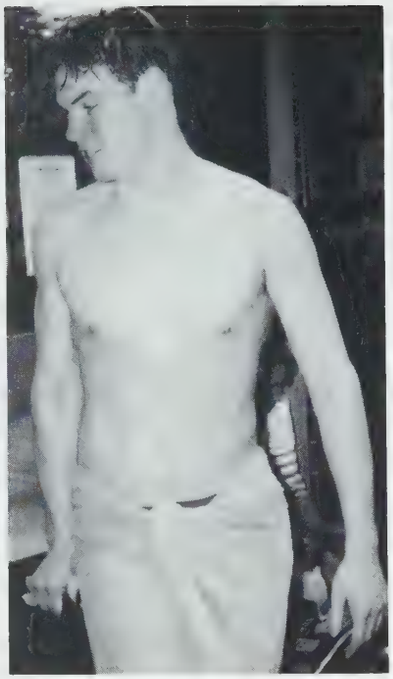
Senior Girls Volleyball
Coach- Mr. Ducharme
Shannon Houston (Captain)
Katriona Grant
Sarah Edwards
Christina Loucas
Jen Magdalenich
Simone Weyand
Karen Dean
Laura Jurek
Brandee Warren

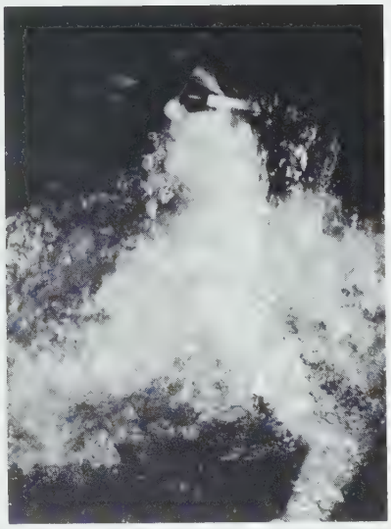


Junior Girls Volleyball
Coach- Ms. Kelly
Katie Simmons
Megan Dove
Jennifer Zacharias
Sau-Yie Leong
Sarah Caustin
Melissa Russel
Ashley Stubbs
Megan McCann

Swimming & Rowing



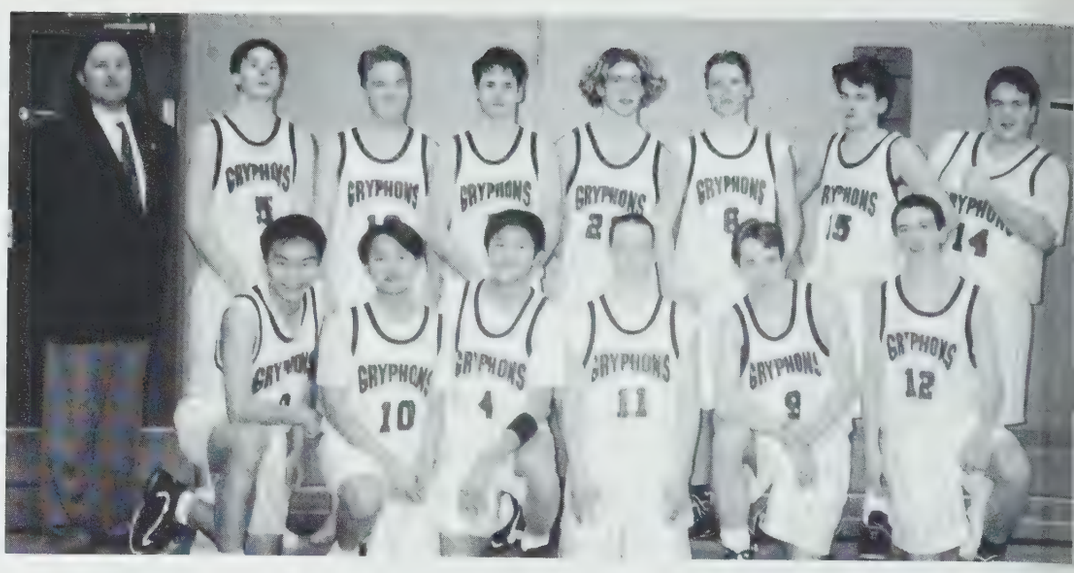




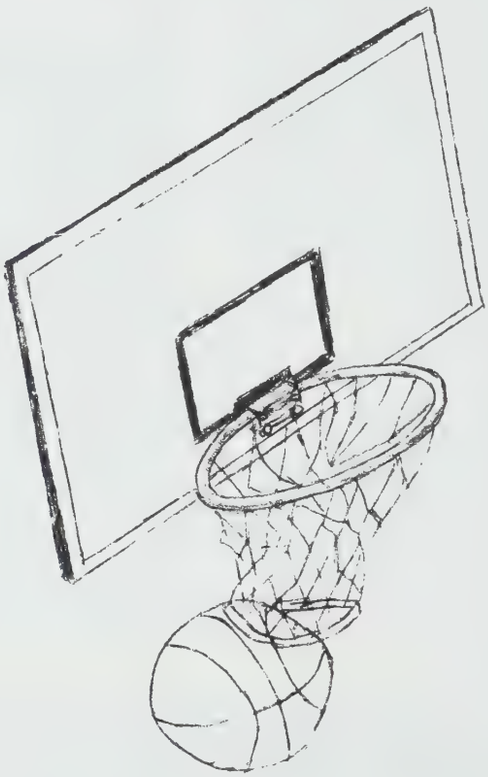
Swim Team
Coach: Chris Bigelow
Sponsor: Mrs. Kerkham
Clea Bigelow, Victor Van Schaik, Elizabeth Punnett, Robyn Hill, Stephen Lerch, Jen Tanner, Alexandra Hayes, Patrick Cerisano, Michael Leung, Robyn Penn
Missing: Gwen Hogen, Paul Lacroix

Rowing Team
Coachs: Mr. Matthews and Mr. Clazie
Emily Arvay, Ashley Freeman, Lindsay Smerdon, Trish Julseth, Brydie McMullen, Katie Matthews, Laura Melling, Caroline Maxwell, Justine Kerkham, Sarah Chettlebergh, Nichole Newsome, Lindsey Weir, Joanne Penhale, Tegan McMartin, Amy Mitchell, Marina Steele, Emily Paddon, Regan McAvoy
Missing: Katelyn Ranger, Katie Scott-Moncreiff, Rachel Webb, Tricia McKerrell, Jill Newsome, Marianne Baines, Rebecca Fisi, Robyn Hill, Jennifer Smerdon

Basketball



Senior Boys Basketball
Coach- Mr. Thoreau, Angus Bridgeman, Andrew Armour, Cam MacPherson, Conor Seabrook, James Gillion, Ben Axeman, Chris Cowell, Bill Teng, Taylor Chen Brian Yang, Colin Hobbs, Jared Webb, Andrew McCallum



Senior Girls Basketba
Coach- Rick Spriggs
Sponsor- Mrs. Jackson
Fern Wager(Captain)
Suzanne Jolly
Abby Ranger
Holly Hilton
Katriona Grant
Amelia Smith
Katie Soles
Brandee Warren
Shannon Houston

Junoir Girls Basketball
Coach- Matt Brooks, *Sponsor-* Ms. Bigelow, Lindsey Hounslow, Meghan McCann, Kate Simmons, Trish Julseth, Michelle Crow, Justine Kerkham, Carolyn Fisher, Ashley Stubbs, Melissa Russell, Caroline Maxwell, Jessica Terry, Erin Fitzpatrick

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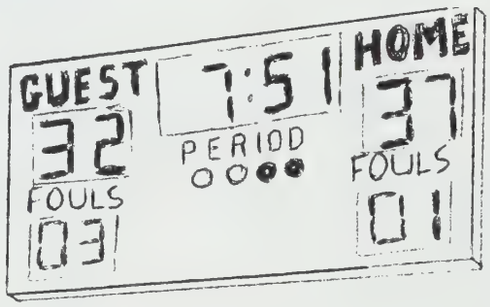
Junior Boys Basketball
Coach- Mr. Schneider, *Sponsor-* Mr. Ducharme, Vasili Skrivanos, John Benskin, Morgan Blake, Jesse Moore, Justin Lee

Basketball

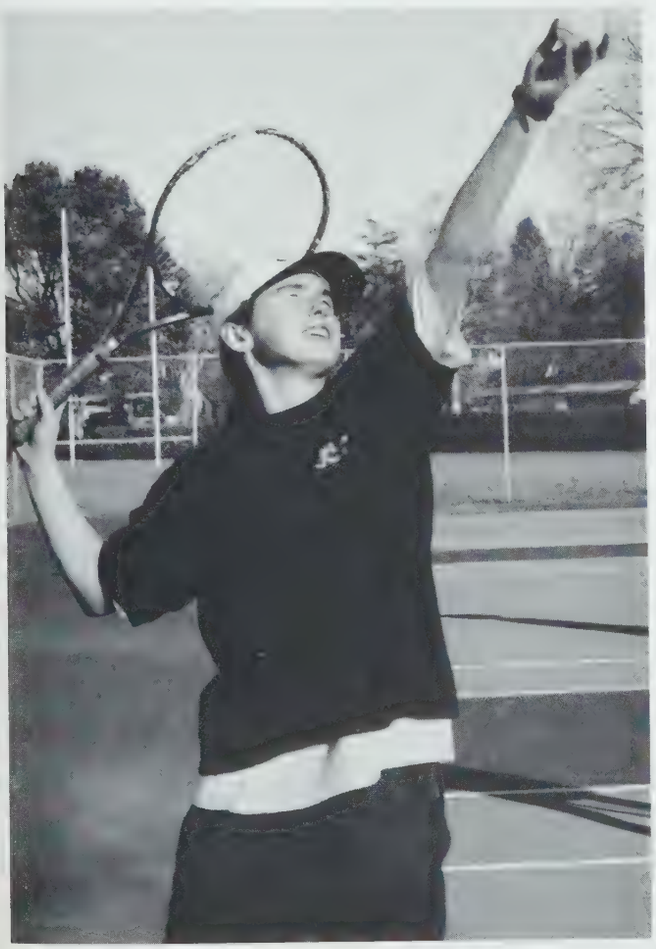
Midget Girls Basketball
Coach- Phil Hendon, *Sponsor-* Mrs. McLeod, Claire Gibbs, Sarah Chettleburgh, Rachel Webb, Amy Benskin, Christa Sakalauskas, Britta Nordean, Jane Simmons, Diana Boyce, Laura Melling, Hayley Tannhauser, Regan McAvoy, Amy Mitchell, Kristen Bourke



Midget Boys Basketball
Coach- Andrew Grover, *Sponsor* - Mr. Bentheim, Miles Zacharis, Jordan Fraser, Dan Hewko, Laith Hahn, Robert Jurek, David Josephson, Nam Young, Bruno Wong, Andrew Pike, Kirin Sekhan

Cross Country
Coach- Mr. Jackson, Clea Bigelow-Nutttal, Colin Wager, Dan Hilton, Robyn Hilton, Robyn Penn

For the first time in years, the tennis team has again made an appearance at GNS. Co-coaches Eddie Yang r Ms. Bigelow, assisted by Jessica Terry have worked hard with an enthusiastic group of seniors to produce a npetitive team. The tennis team is in its early days, but has high hopes for success in the summer term



Soccer

Senior Boys Soccer
Coach: Chip Brambley
Andrew McCallum, Trevor McCall
Conor Seabrook, Angus Bridgeman
Goordie Lyall, Colin Hobbes,
Andrew Scott-Moncrief, Malcolm
Brown, Dave Walsh, Mike Stubbs,
Robert Paul, Tim McKay
Missing: Ben Axeman, James Gill
Nick Simeoni, Alex Hertel,
Andrew Armour

Soccer Tour Team
BACK ROW: Mr. Cicchine, Robyn Hilton, Jane Simmons, Christa Sakalaskous, Heather Taddy, Megan McCann, Katelyn Ranger, Ashley Freeman, Regan McAvoy, Jessica Terry, Brydie McMullen, Erin Fitzpatrick, Miss. Lightfoot
FRONT ROW: Michelle Crow, Laura Melling, Ashley Stubbs, Britta Nordean

After much practising, fund raising and planning in the spring, summer and early fall, the Junior Girls Soccer team travelled to Montreal to participate in the CAIS tournament. They played hard and represented the school very well. Mr. Cicchine (team coach) and Miss Lightfoot (team manager) were pleased to accompany s fine group of soccer players!

Soccer

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mes Hwang
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Junior Girls Soccer

Jessica Terry
Megnan McCann
Megan Dove
Caroline Fisher
Susan Melville
Amy Barnard
Justine Kerknam
Christina Worster
Brydie McMillan
Stephanie Loucas
Allison Barrett
Michelle Crow
Sandeep Grin
Alice Whittick
Ashley Stubbs
Katie McFetridge
Lauren Woolsey

idget Boys Soccer Team
ach- Mr. Pimlot, Andrew Pike,
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Rugby

Senior Boys Rugby
Jeff Poulson, Wylie Mitchell, Andrew Armour, Cam MacPherson, Angus Bridgeman, John Benskin, Nitin Khare, Adam Thompson, Millar Montgomery, Chris Kelly, Paul Lacroix, Brian Tait, Chris Charleston, Corbin Roger, James Hwang, Matt Robinson, Dan Hilton, Andrew McCallum, Stefan Hudson, Jeremy King, Phil Hertel, Alex Hertel, Ben Axmann, Scott Lucyk, Mike Stubbs, Colin Wager
Coach: Mr. Matthews *Missing:* Dave Walsh, Chris Cowell

Senior Girls Rugby
Holly Hilton, Bianca Bodley, Abby Ranger, Katie Soles, Courtney Chambers, Shannon Houston, Brandee Warren, Katriona Grant, Sarah Edwards, Emily Paddon, Katie Brierly, Jen Irvine, Gwen Hogan, Jen Magdalenich, Annie Vallance, Bronwyn Illingworth, Lindsey Hounslow, Sam Reid, Michelle Hounslow
Coaches: :Mr. Stanley , Jeremy Brooks *Manager:* Laura Jurek *Missing:* Christina Loucas

Rugby

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like Neville, Colin Wager, Dan Hilton, Vasili Skrivanos, Dan Chung, Cam Maysmith, Matt Taddy, Allen pillette, John Benskin, Mike MacKay, Bryan Tait, Wesley O'Brian, Junichi Masuda, Hugo Tremblay-Belanger, aylor Somers, Brian Lin

Midget Boys Rugby
Coach- Mr. Tuckwell, *Assistant Coach-* Robert Pollock, Troy Yakimishyn, Andrew Somers, Andrew Pike, Sean Muhlack, Mike Magdalenich, Jim Madsen, Lyle Jordan, Charles Philipp, Nathanial Holroyd, Jordan Fraser, Chris Adams, Laith Hahn, Cam Wallace, Duncan Penn

Badminton, Squash & Curling

Senior Badminton
FRONT ROW: Eddie Yang, Weid Bartram, Sau-Yie Leong, Alex Richardson, Andrew Wong, Troy Wright, Chris Fodor,
BACK ROW: Stafford Harper, Marc Tallentire, Sam Madsen, Justin Lee, Sasha Appleton, Brydie McMullen, Sarah Causton, Victor Van Schaik, Ivan Watson

SQUASH CLUB:
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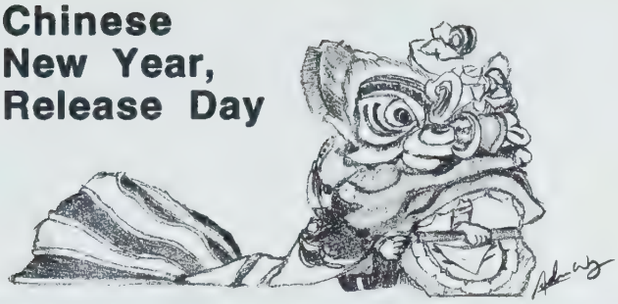
Kim Namhyoung
Kim Jee Youn
Hyung Joo Yoon
Cam Maysmith
Phil Hertel
Junichi Masuda
Mi Rye Kim
Allison Lee
Allstair McKee
Eddy Yang
Marc Tallentire
Stafford Harper

COACHES: Mr. Parker
Dr. Maysmith
Mr. McKee

Curling

The curling club met on Tuesday afternoons at the Victoria Curling Club. In total, eight students paarticipated but unfortunately the turn-out varied from week to week, as many students ran into conflicts with other activities. Consequently, for the second year it wasn't possible to field a team in the competitive high school league. The students in the club were able to benefit from free expert instruction from some maste curlers. Despite the increasing popularity of curling in the world and the fact that it will be an Official Olymp sport in 1998, GNS has been slow to embrace the sport that is consistently dominated by Canada at all levels. Hopefully, the Olympics in Japan next winter will help to propel this life-long sport to a level of recognition and acceptance at GNS that will allow us to compete with other schools.

Chinese New Year, Release Day



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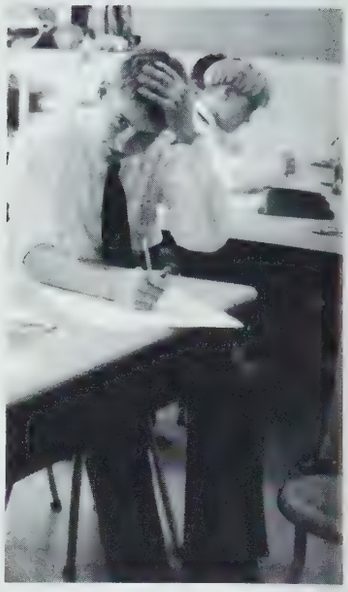

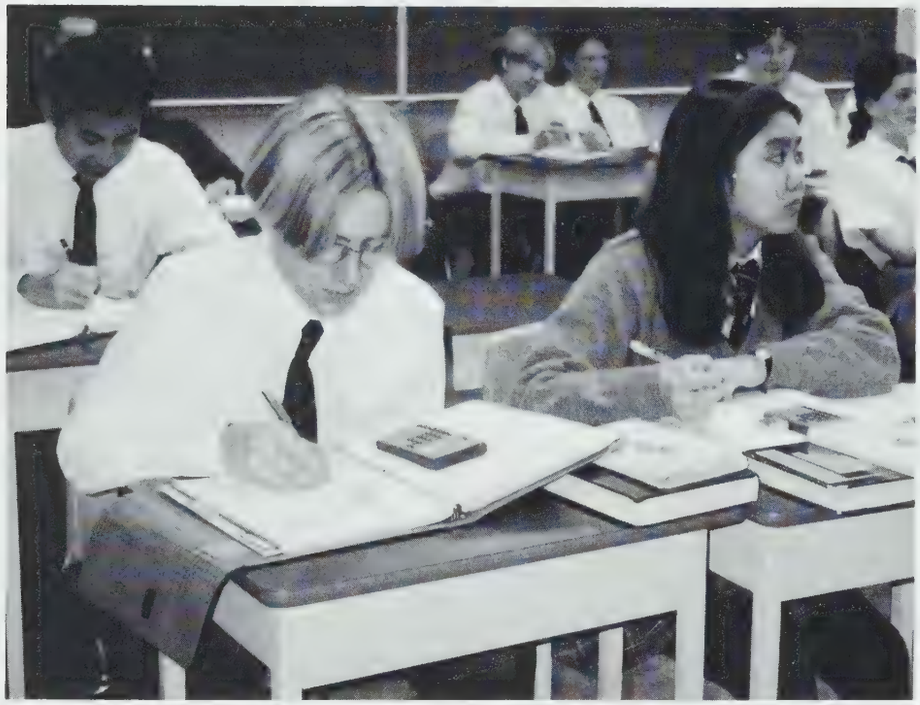

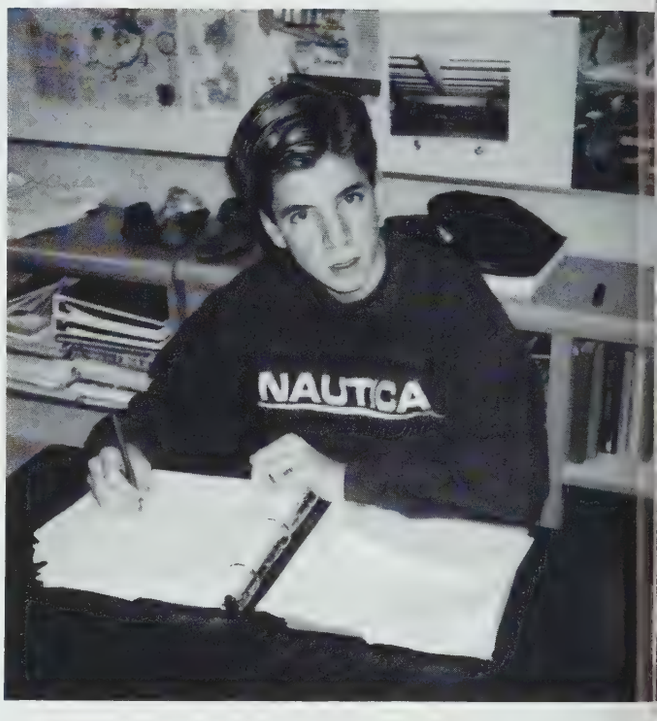
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1996-1997

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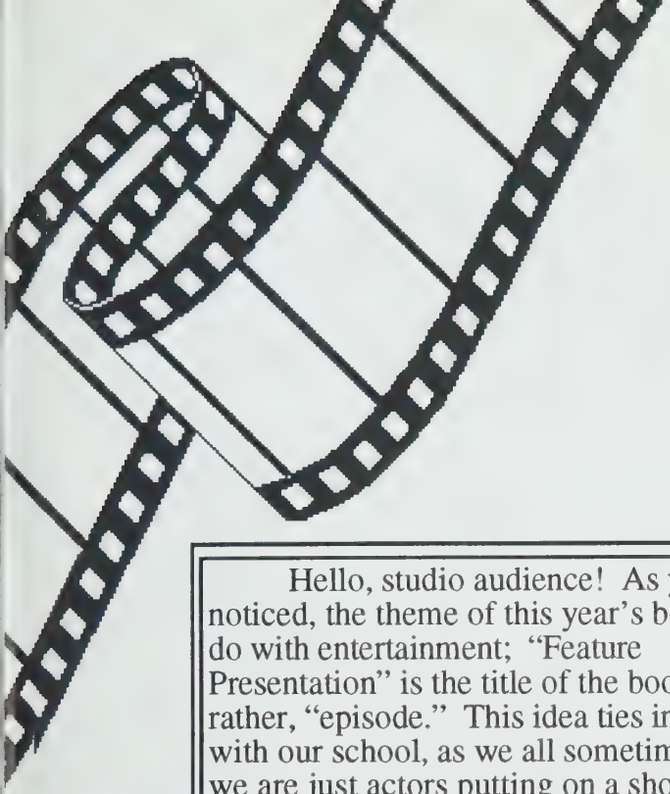
I see all ages rushing through the halls
dying to get home,
leave the place.
They live from one holiday to another,
getting out of school is everyone's dream,
it seems.
How I wish I could stay longer,
watching the people
who don't realise
that they are wishing
away the best days of their lives.

Sandra Weyand



Hello, studio audience! As you have noticed, the theme of this year's book has to do with entertainment; "Feature Presentation" is the title of the book, or rather, "episode." This idea ties in nicely with our school, as we all sometimes feel that we are just actors putting on a show. Whether it be in Social Studies class explaining why homework is not completed, or suffering through the beep test in P.E., struggling to make it to the fourth level, (even though we know that we are going to collapse after the second). We are all actors, and have displayed this talent throughout the year.

This year's dynamic stage hands, (the yearbook staff) have collaborated to produce this "premiere" episode. The dedication of the staff was tremendous and I would like to thank them all, as well as Mrs. Jenkins, for all of their hard work.

Good luck to all the Senior School in their "coming attractions!"

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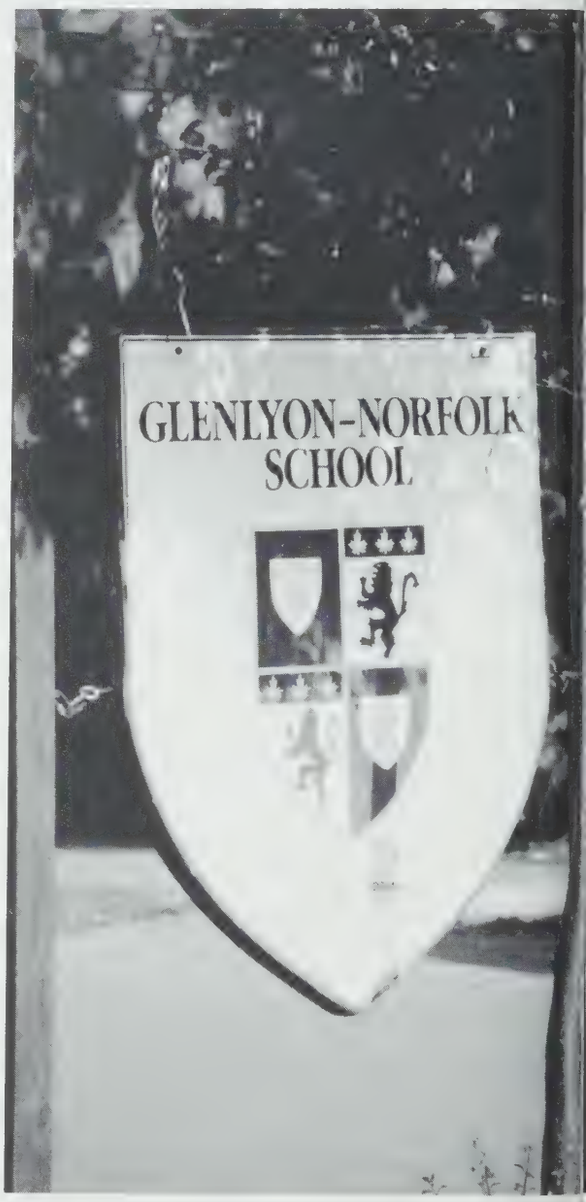

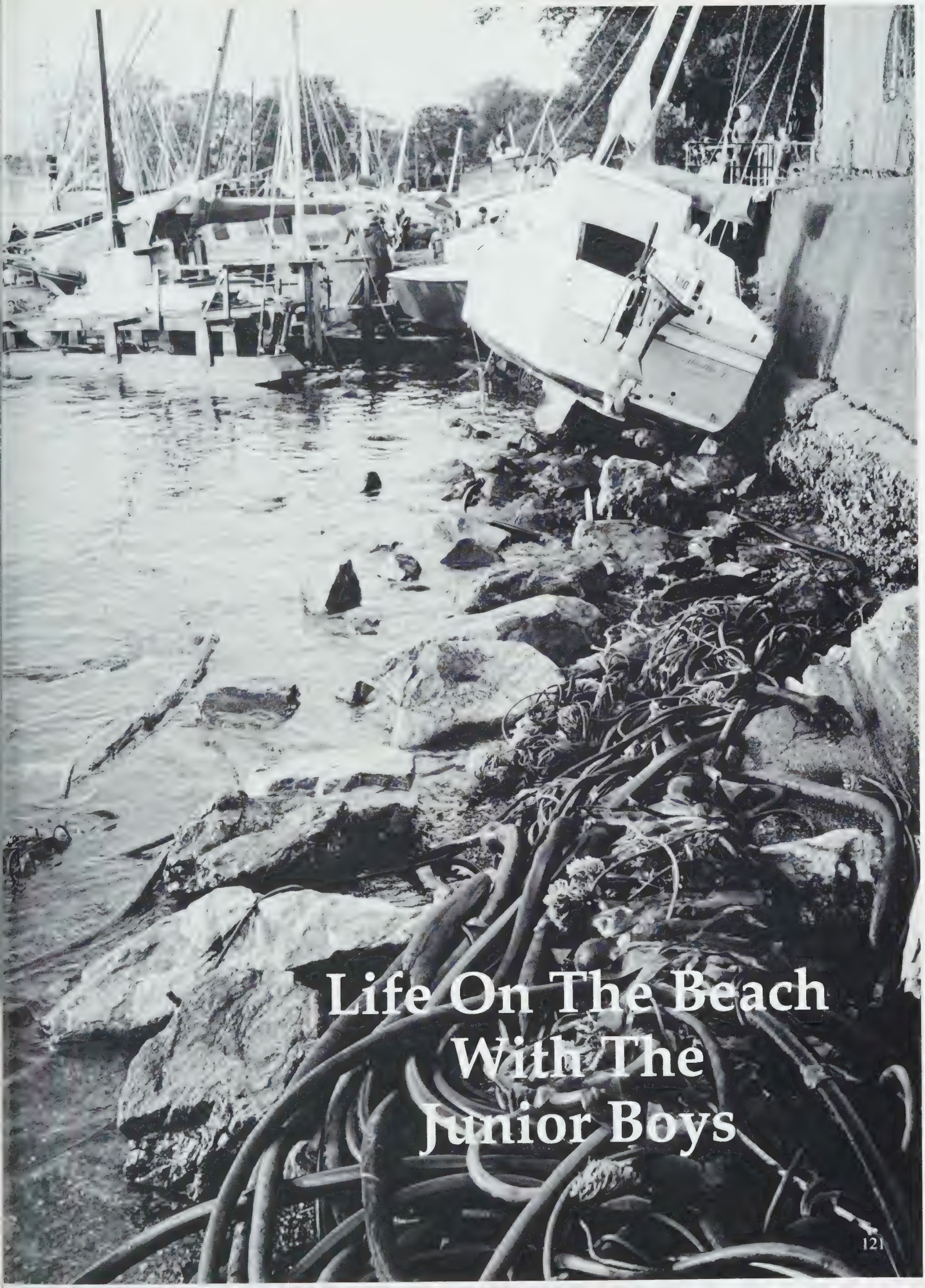

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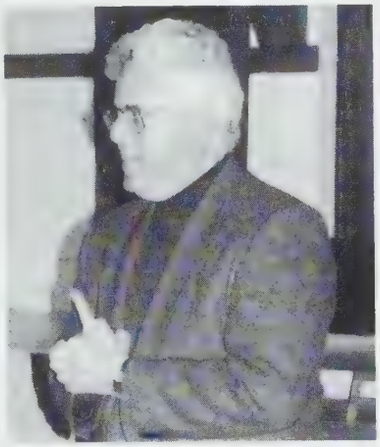

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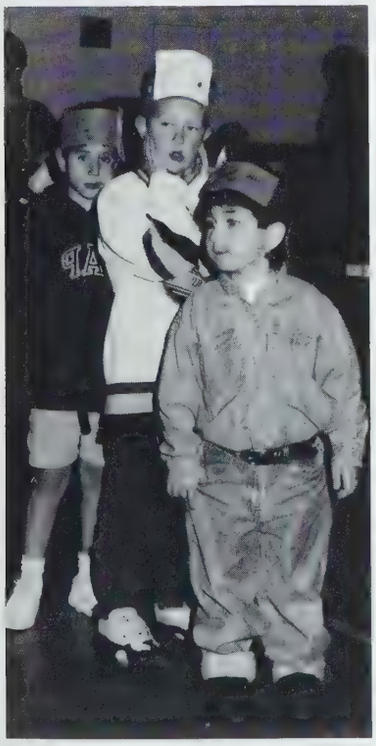

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Front Row (L-R): Jason Dhillon, Jacob Todd, Stefan Urban, Yiannis Mavrikos, Brook Kiddell, Nicholas Mavrikos, Mason Tancock

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Grade 3

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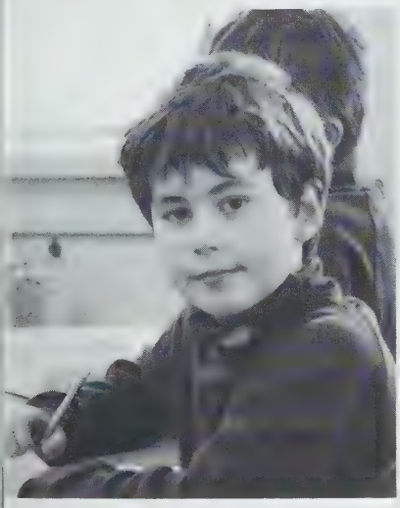

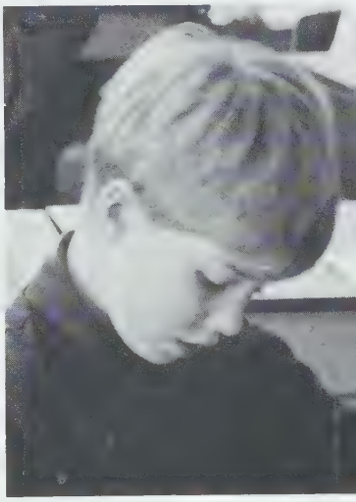

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Front Row (L-R): Kyle Campbell, Adam Selkirk, Alex Anderson, Sky Fairchild-Waller, Jenner Blank, Jasper Dawson, Eli Moselle, James McNulty

Missing: Robin Lake

Back Row (L-R):	Gregory Horne, Josh van Es, Jonathan Behune, Andrew Melling, Aaron Aujla, Jamie Peart
Middle Row (L-R):	Sean Scott, Julian Mitton, Matthew Bowyer, Amith Ahluwalia, Mr. Humphries
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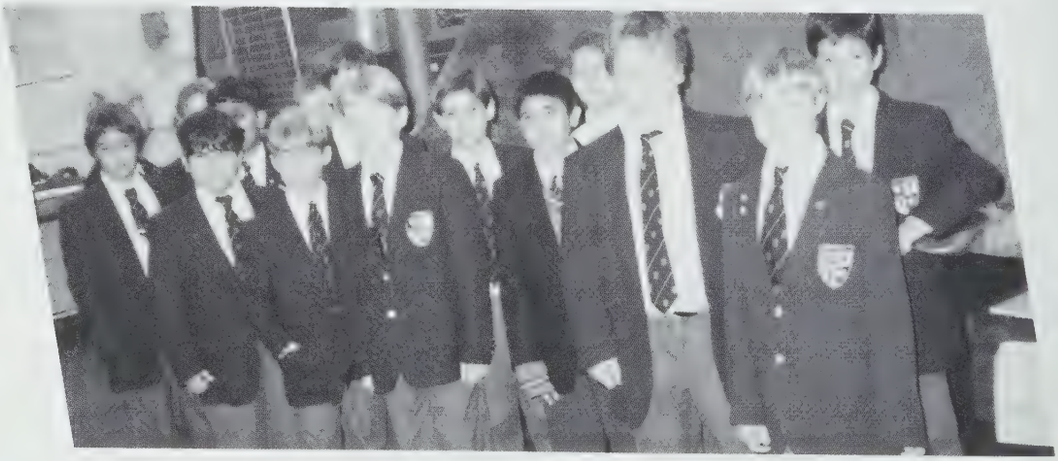

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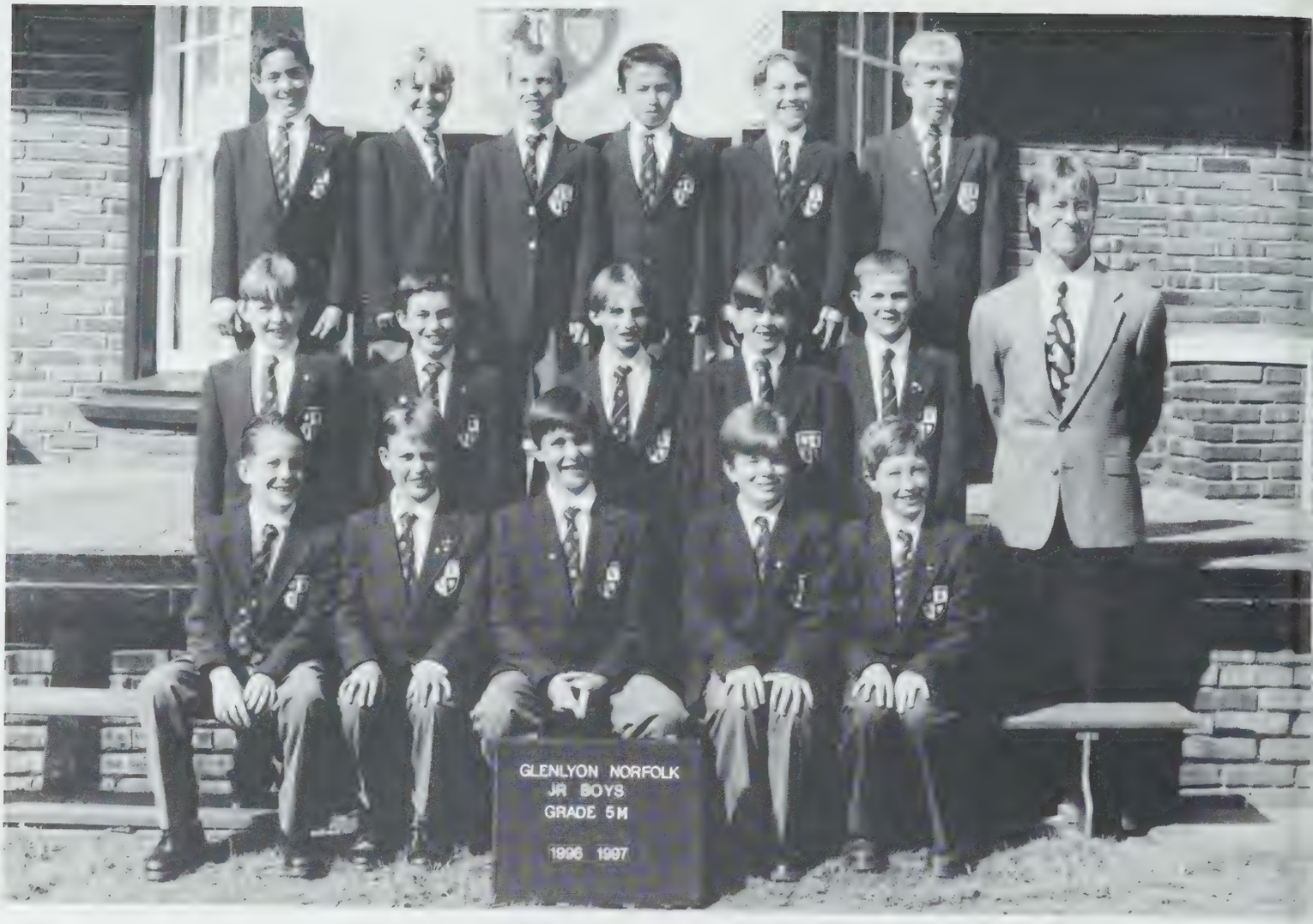

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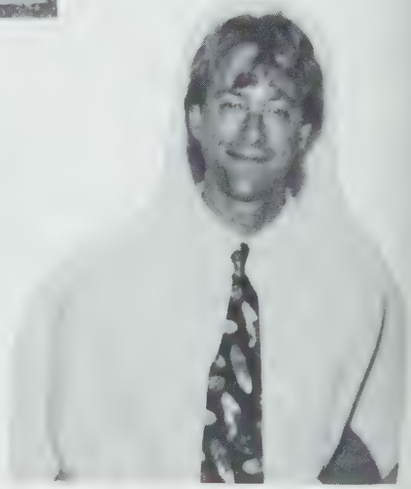

Grade 5M

Grade 6B

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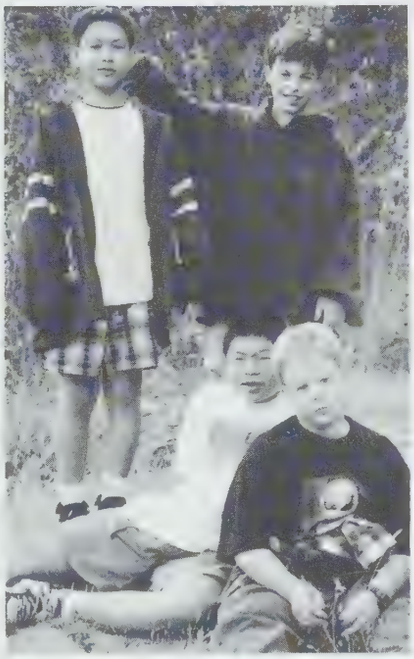

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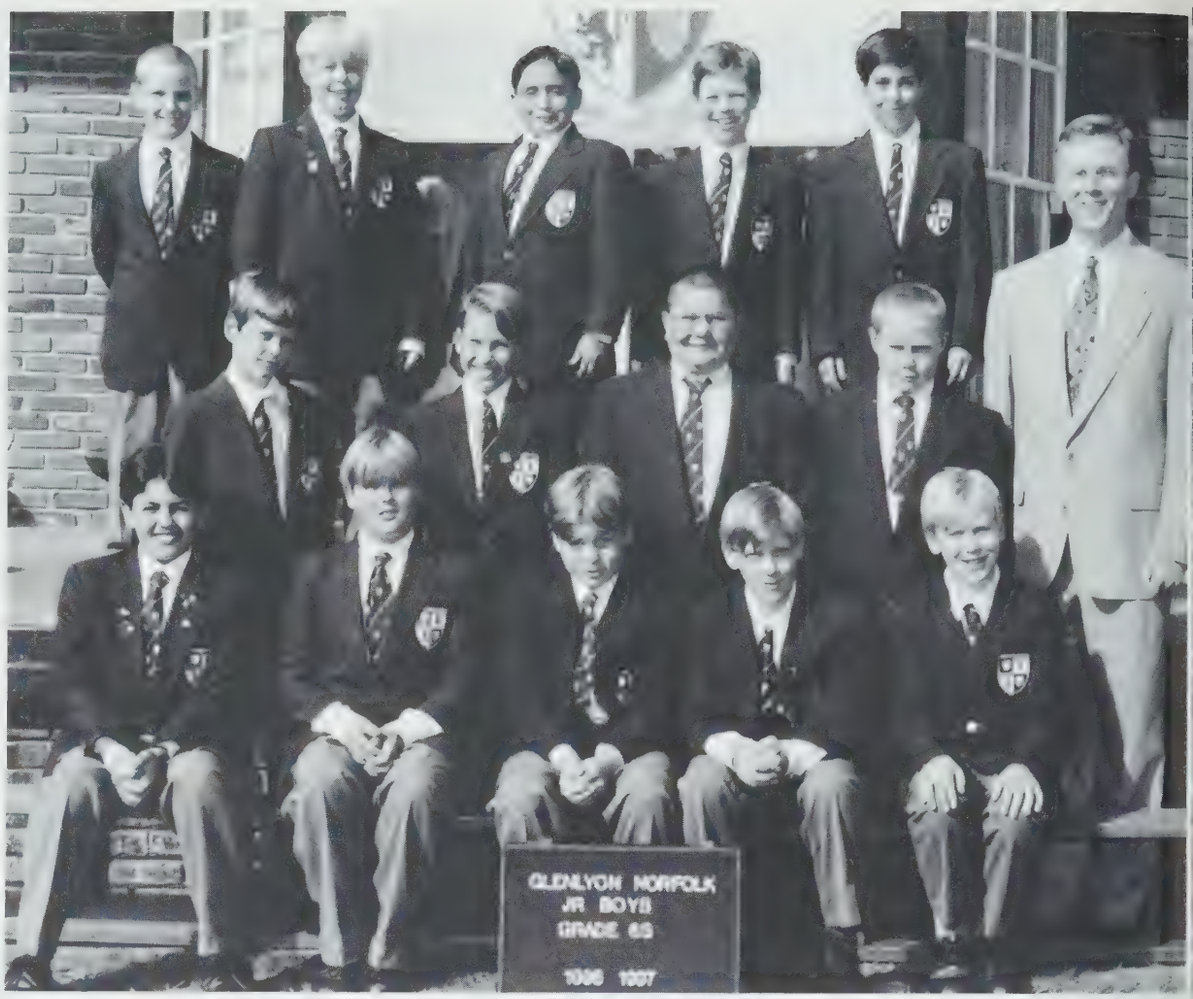

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Missing: David Ludgate

Grade 70

Back Row (L-R): Allan Ramsay, Victor Lo, Ryan Bradbury, Henry Skey, Anthony Richards
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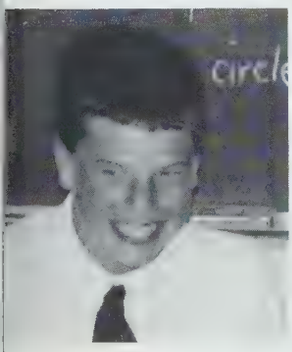
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Grade 7M

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Front Row (L-R):	Scott Murray, Chris Dobbyn, Sean Poulsen, David Ollech, Christopher Spillette
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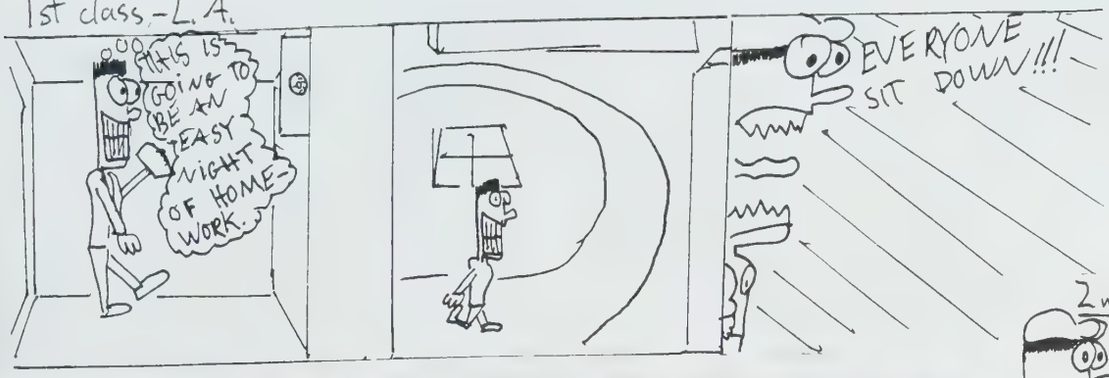

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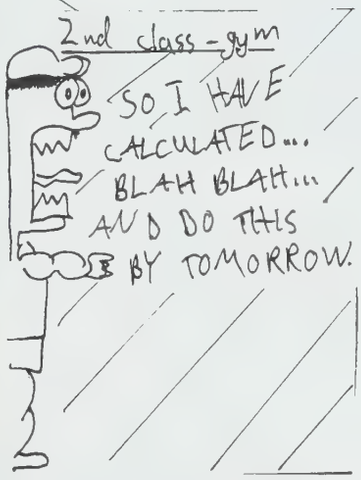

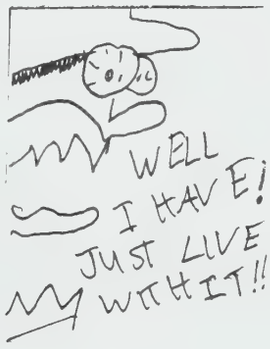

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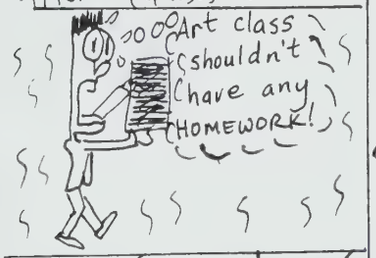
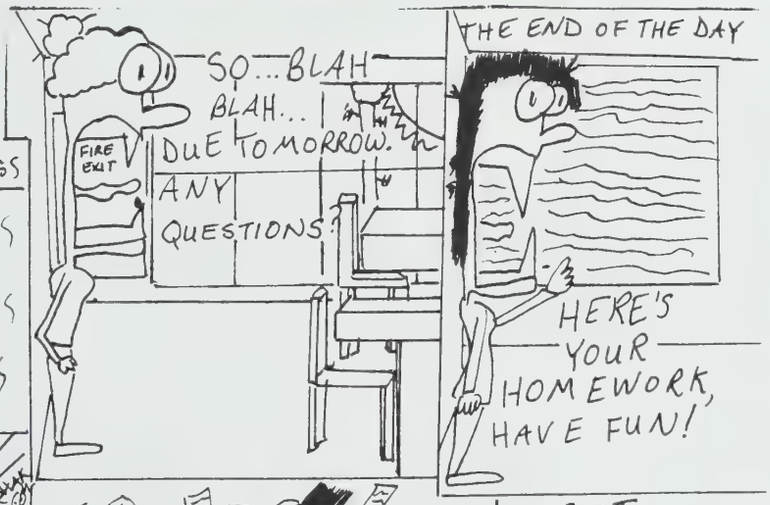
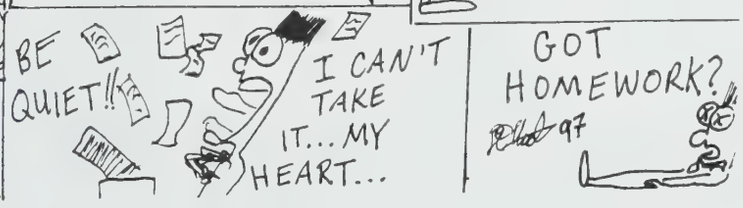
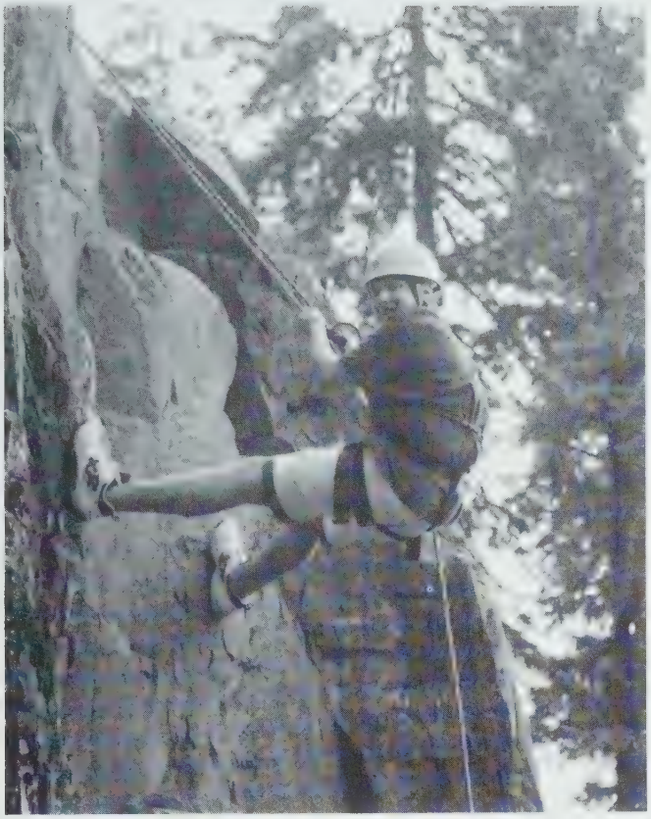


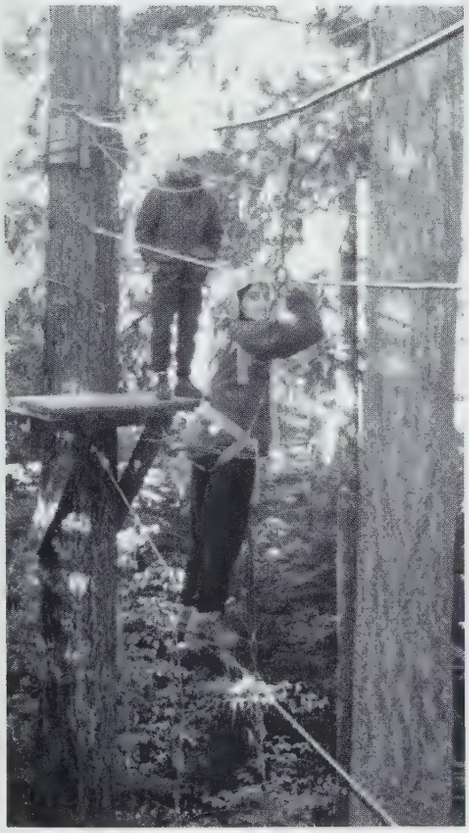


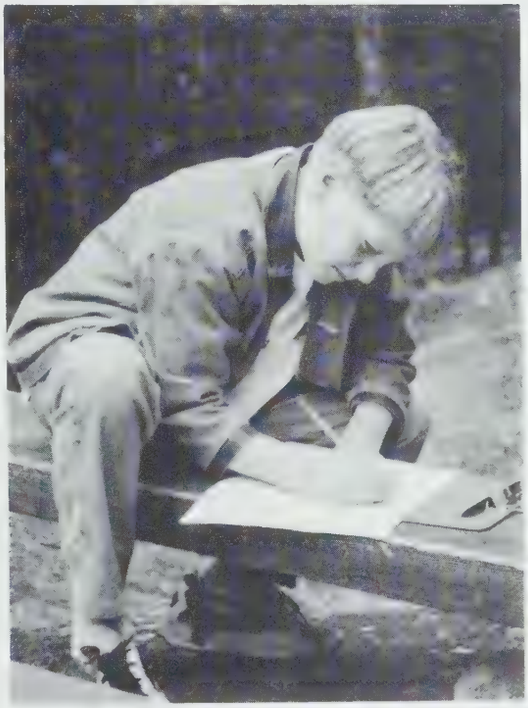


School Life

Outdoor Education







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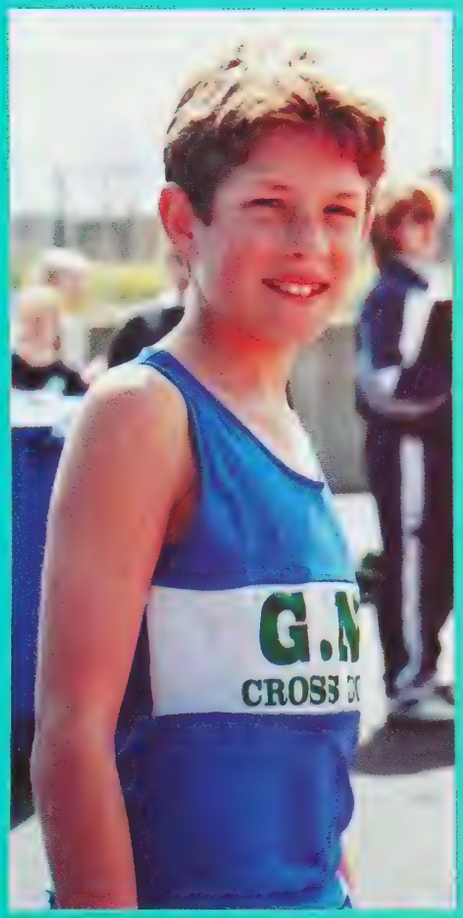
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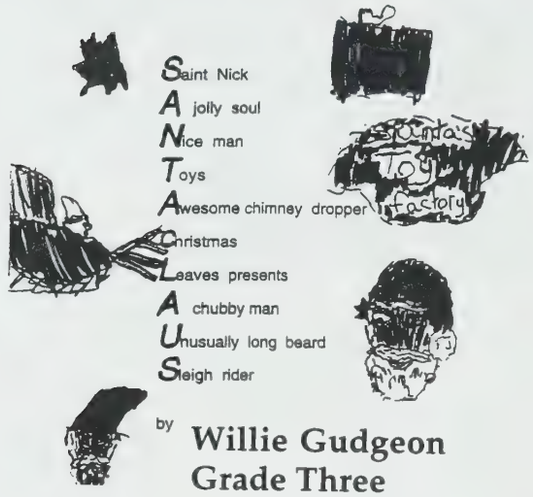
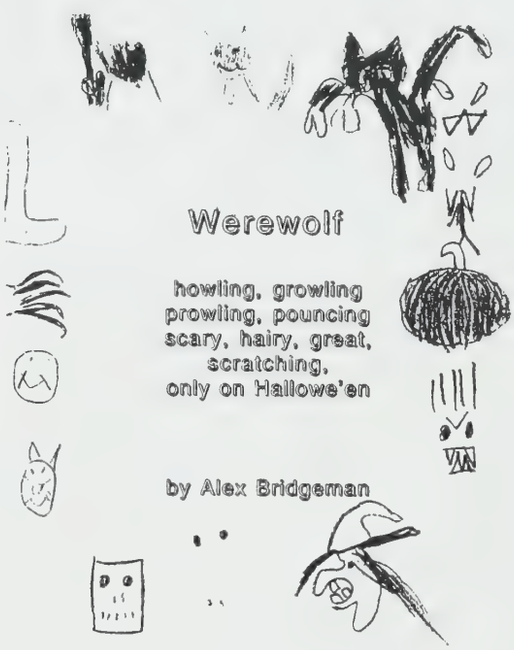


by **Willie Gudgeon**
Grade Three



Alex Bridgeman
Grade Three

<u>Peter and the Aliens</u>

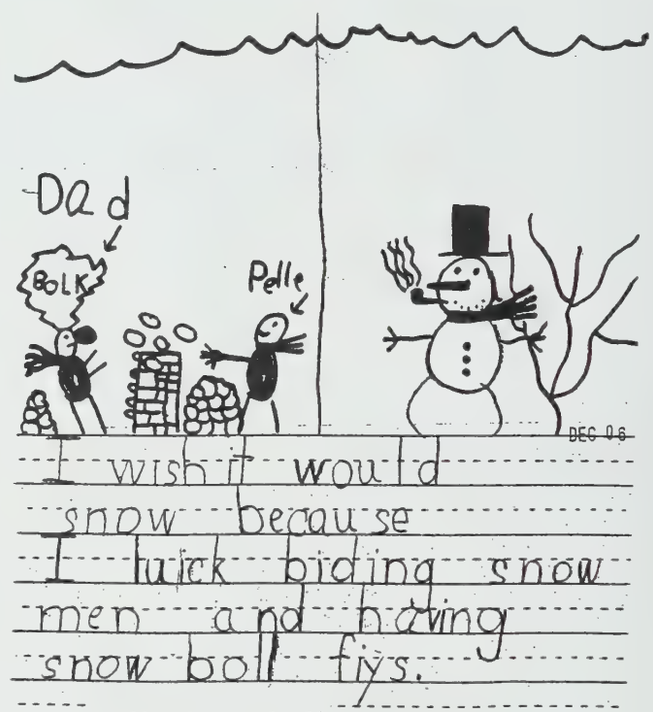
Once upon a time there was a boy named Peter. One night he heard a noise outside. He looked and saw an alien spaceship! The aliens said "Come and get a haircut from Moog Moog! He will get it done in a flash!". So Peter went into the spaceship. When he got his hair cut he thought it looked great!

Peter Jawl
Grade Two

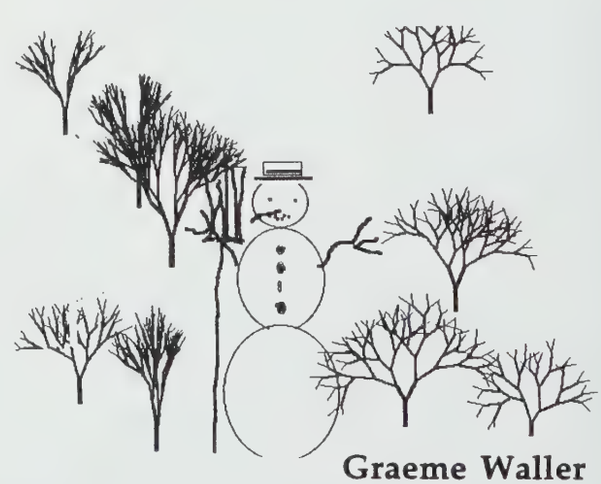
<u>The Bright Little Christmas Tree</u>

Once there was this loving family. They had two sons. One was Billy and one was Joey. They liked each other. "Tonight is Christmas and Santa will be coming down the chimney!" said Billy. "We will get presents!" said Joey and they both shouted "hurrah!". The next morning they peeked into their stockings early. Then they waited for their parents. To their surprise the lights on the Christmas tree were so bright they couldn't believe their eyes, even their parents were surprised too. It was amazing! The tree was so bright they could not see the decorations on the tree. They even invited their neighbours to come over and look at the tree. Even their uncles and aunts came and were really surprised.

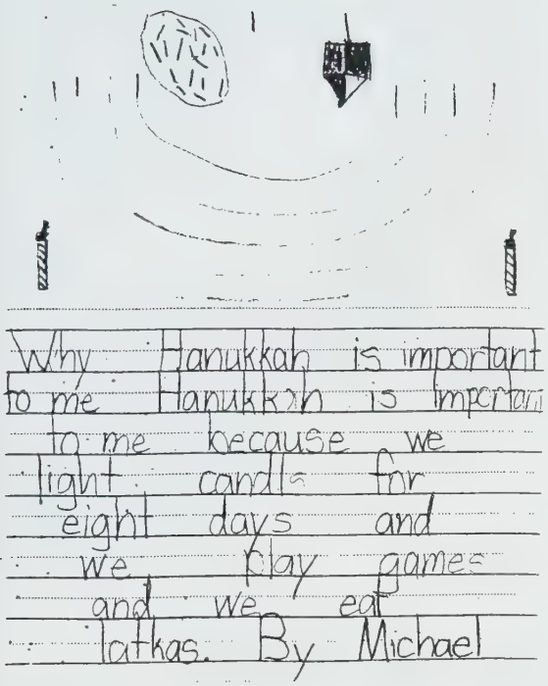
Taylor Townsend
Grade Two



Pelle Campbell
Grade One



Graeme Waller
Grade One

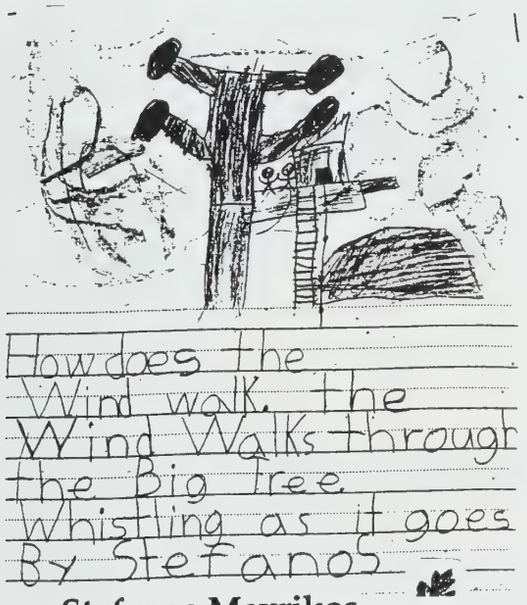


Michael Hamilton
Grade Two

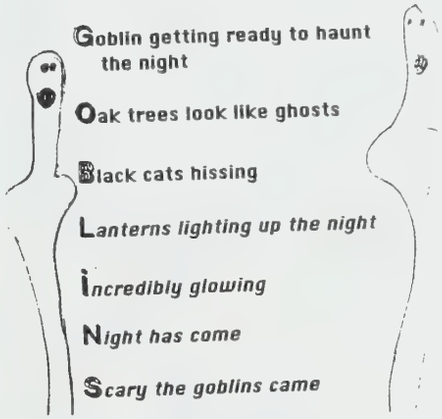
THE BORED BEAR

Once there was a bear named Big Paws. Now that bear, he was always bored. He never got to do anything. So one day he decided that he wanted to go skydiving. He asked his mother but she said no! So Big Paws snuck outside to go skydiving. On his way he met a dog named Sandy and they become good friends. As it turns out Big Paws and Sandy are both heading to the skydiving centre. When they got there they headed to the training area. There they learned what to do in an accident. Then they went to the plane. The plane was about to take off when Big Paws said "STOP?" Because his mom had told him not to go and he didn't want to be unloyal so he went home. As it turned out Sandy had snuck out to and they both lived happily ever after knowing that they had not disobeyed their mom.

Sam McCooey & Spencer Taylor-Lee
Grade One & Grade Six Buddies



Stefanos Mavrikos
Grade Two



Chris Gover
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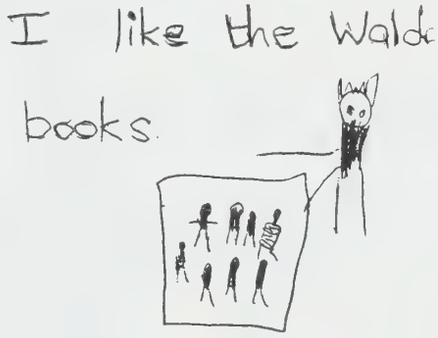


Michael Webster
Kindergarten

One day I went to visit my great-greaat grandfather. My grandfather had something wrong with his brain. As I beeped in the code and robot opened the door, I wondered what he had invented now. When I got in, he showed me to room with a big cloth covering something and said," I invited you over because I wanted you to see..." Ding dong, the door bell rang. "I will get it, " he said. I waited for five minuted, ten minutes, fifteen minutes, twenty minutes.Then I got curious. What was under that cloth? I remembered the time I broke my arm on one of his inventions, but finally curiosity got the better of me. When I lifted the cloth, there was no;thing but a box with magnets! I stepped into it and suddenly lights flashed and sirens went off and everything went black! Suddenly I was on an old cobbled street. I looked around and saw horses and carts instead of cars. The windows were lit with candles instead of electric light. I realized I had gone back in time!

Nigel Burke
Grade Three

Leif Gustavson
Kindergarten

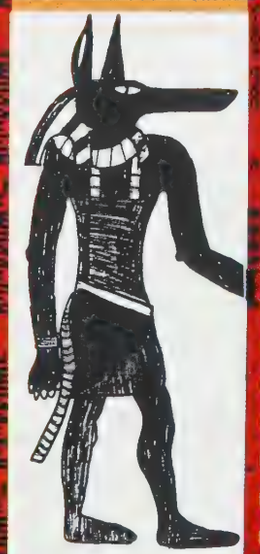
Focus on... Intermediate Art & Literature

Tennis

I brushed my teeth
brushed my hair
put on my clothes
put the balls in my bag
I got on the court
we decided not to have a warm-up

He served the ball...
I had forgotten my racquet.

David Hamilton



The Train

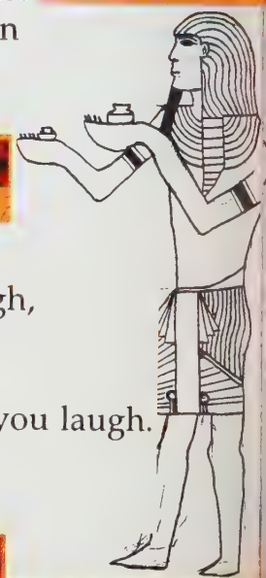
I know of a train
It drains a lot of cash
It's the first one of its class
It's the main, drain, train

Leete Stetson

Laugh

Hello; on my behalf,
I'd like to make you laugh,
I'll eat up my hat,
I'll jump on a cat,
And I hope that I made you laugh.

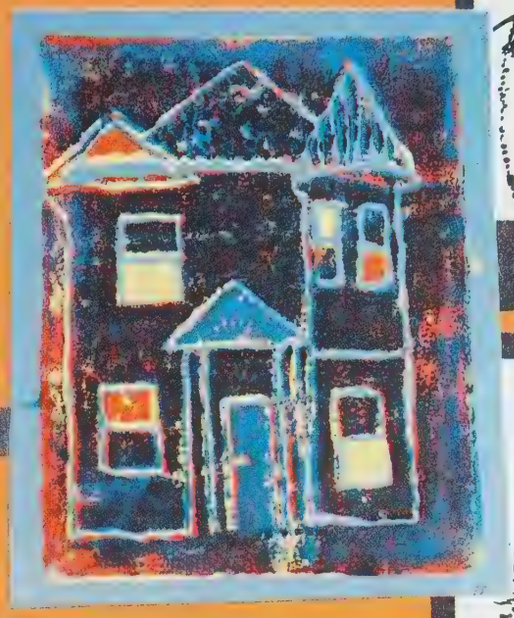
Roger Eldridge



Spring, when flowers bloom
Purple daises erupt
Rain goes away
In comes the sun

Nicholas Fodor

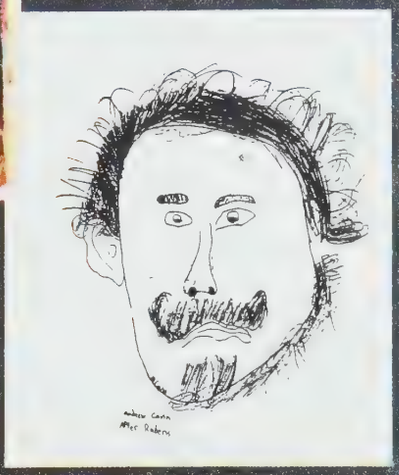
Spring

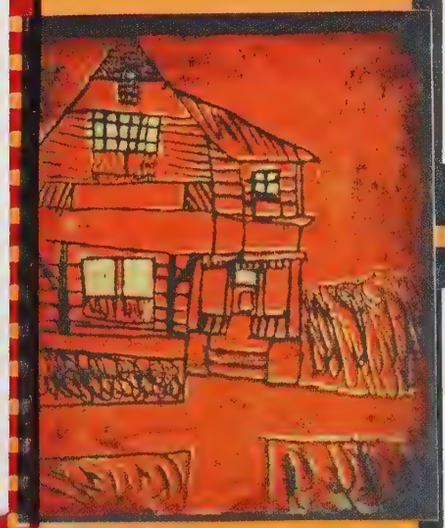


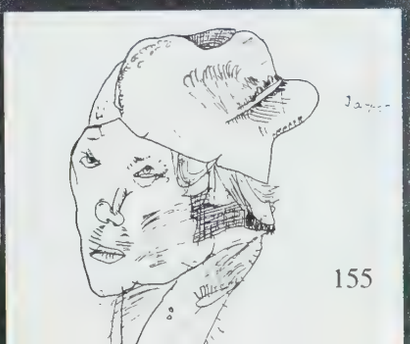
The Storm!

On Thursday, October 17, there was a huge storm with gale force wind. Two boats crashed on the school's beach and one sunk. The power went out precisely at 1:45 p.m. I am glad that I did not read to the grades 1 and 2 and kindergarten. I wish I was with the 6's and 7's in the gym block. We were watching the 1992 World Series on a movie then when it went out and it was very dark. The wind was very hard, approximately 115 km. It was so hard that a whole dock from the Oak Bay Marina ripped right off. Our school was on the National News.

Matthew Charleton
Grade 4





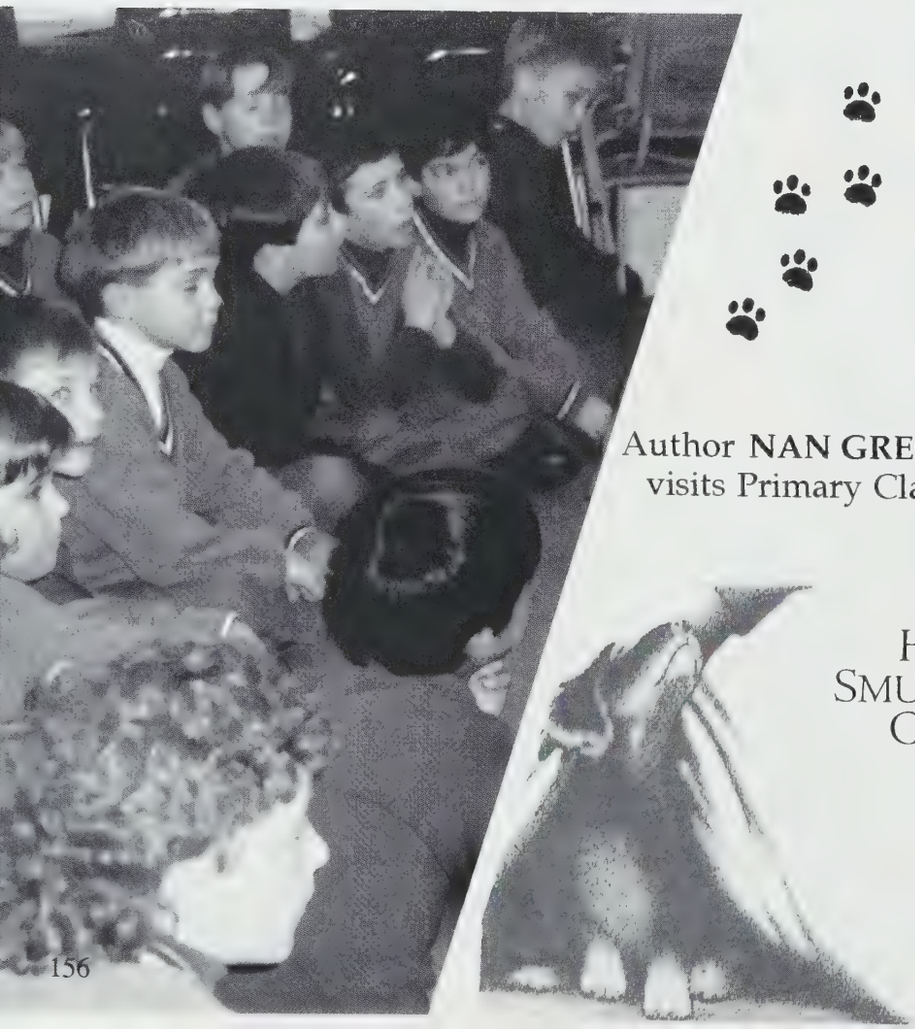


November 6th, 1996

Lions Literary Lunch

Parents and students peruse hundreds of new books and donate three hundred new books to the library collection.

Canadian Children's Book Week



Author **NAN GREGORY** visits Primary Classes.

HOW SMUDGE CAME

Author Visits

Grade One students
Taylor McKenzie, Sam Wilson
and Jeffrey Wood are improving
their reading by using the
ACCELERATED
READER
PROGRAM
now available in the library !

Scott Murray (7M), Roger Eldridge (6S)
Ian Stockdill (5H) and Nathan Lapper (4E)
work with author **ERIC WILSON** on the
first draft of his new novel.

a Kwakiutl village

Grade 4/5 students learn about
West Coast native dwellings
from author **BONNIE SHEMIE.**

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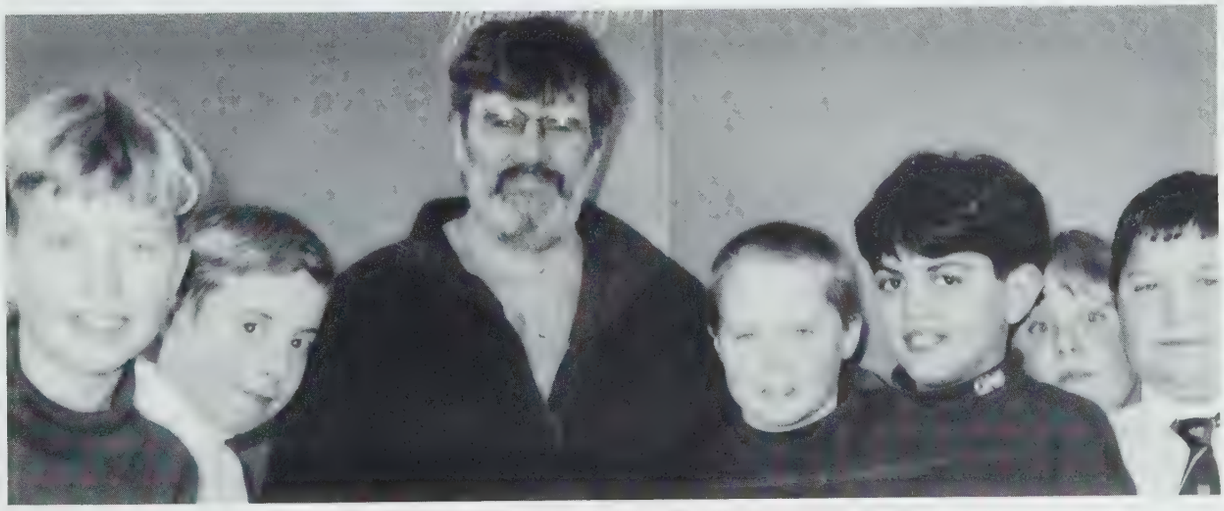
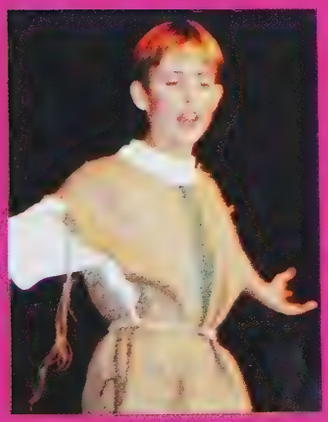
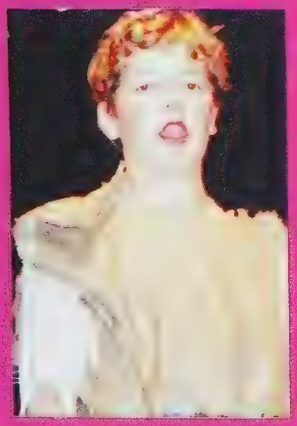
TIM WYNNE-JONES, author of
The Maestro and Some of the Kinder Planets
visits with Grade 6/7 students.



Spotlight on Stage





G.N.S. Welcomes Mr. Rob Kiddell

New Director of the Junior Boys' School

It has been a very eventful first year for Mr. Rob Kiddell down on the Beach Drive campus. Having come all the way from Country Day School near Toronto to escape the harsh winters, he was almost immediately welcomed by two of the worst storms to hit our fair city of Victoria in years -- the first one filling the Glenlyon-Norfolk beach with close to seventy boats from the Oak Bay Marina. As for the second storm, lets just say that Mr. Kiddell didn't get a chance to miss the snow in Ontario. In spite of the weather, the Junior Boys' has enjoyed a very successful year, and would like to welcome Mr. Kiddell to life on the beach.

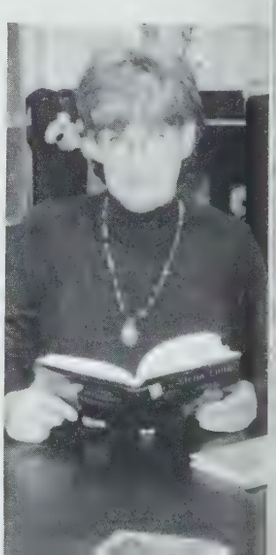
JUNIOR GIRLS

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Now Playing

Starring

Back Row (L-R): Mrs. Buchanan, Mr. Blake, Mr. Cicchine, Miss Bennett, Mrs. Humer, Mrs. English
Middle Row (L-R): Mrs. Morehen, Mrs. Durrant, Mrs. Lapper, Mrs. Raffo, Mrs. Wilmot, Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Chettleburgh
Front Row (L-R): Mrs. Stobie, Mrs. Blake, Mme. Farmer, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Blohm, Mrs. Myllymaki, Mrs. Pangman
Absent, See Below: Mrs. McAuley, Mrs. Kelly, Miss Emily Barlow, Mrs. Guillamette, Mme. Hayes



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An Outdoor Production

GREENLAND

Primary Art and Literature

Genie in the Thermos

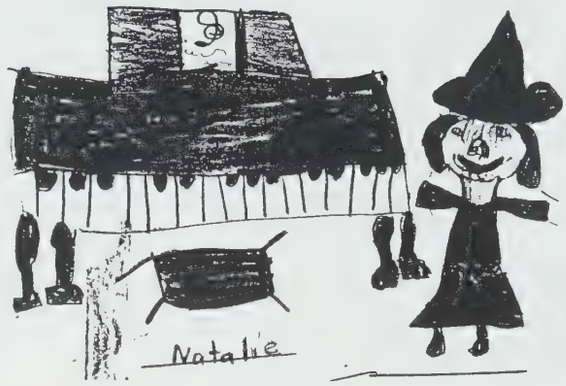
One day, in Grade 4, it was lunch time. I opened my thermos. I opened it slowly. In an instant a genie appeared. I screamed. The genie said, "I will grant you one wish, what will it be?" I wish I was in the dinosaur times. I closed my eyes and suddenly I was in the dinosaur times.

I looked around. I saw a little baby Ankylosaurus. I asked if it had lost its mother. "Yes," he said, "there was a big volcano and my mother told me to follow her but it was too misty and I couldn't see where she was going." So I said I would help him find his mother. Three minutes later, we heard a load roar, it was Tyrannosaurus Rex. We ran for our lives. Then I remembered the thermos that I saw the genie in. I took it out of my pocket. I threw the chicken soup at him. Splash! It landed all over him. So he got tired of chasing us.

After waiting quite a long time, we heard a sort of sad roar. We followed the sound. Soon we saw a bush shaking. I looked closer. It was the Ankylosaurus's mother. The mother said goodbye to me and they set off.

In the meantime, back at school, the teacher was getting worried. I looked for the genie. In a few minutes I found him. I begged him to send me home now. So he finally said, "Yes." I closed my eyes and in an instant I was back in school. The teacher said, "Where have you been?" "It's a long story." I smiled!

Annest Roberts, Grade 2



The Special Rock

Long, long, long ago, there was a little girl called Arania. She lived with her mother and father. Every single day, Arania would go out and gather sharp rocks which her family would use to make all sorts of tools. One cloudy day, Arania found a strange rock and could not figure out what kind it was. She brought it home and asked, "What kind of rock is this?" Her mother stared, and her father did too. "We don't know," was the simple answer. So Ariana took the rock from the grey table, and started off to find The Great Wise Numboo.

It was a rainy day when she finally reached the tall, beautiful mountain where The Great Wise Numboo lived. She knocked sharply on the white door. Clunk, clunk, crack went the door, as it opened. Arania went quietly inside.

When The Great Wise Numboo let her out, Arania ran home. From that day on, people in the Stone Age used the rock, which was called flint, to make all of their tools.

Jasmine Chiang, Grade 3

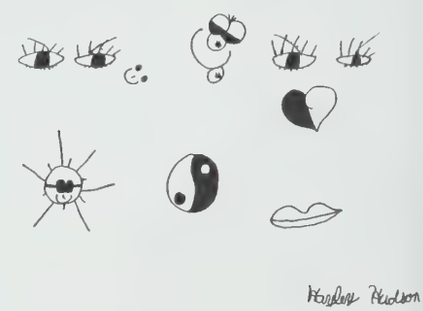
Autumn

I see flowers bloom.
I watch them grow.
They'll be much prettier
Than I'll ever know.

Leaves falling like air balloons.
How pretty they might fly.

Ants, ants marching down the tree.
It almost feels
Like they are following me.

Sarah Powell, Grade 2

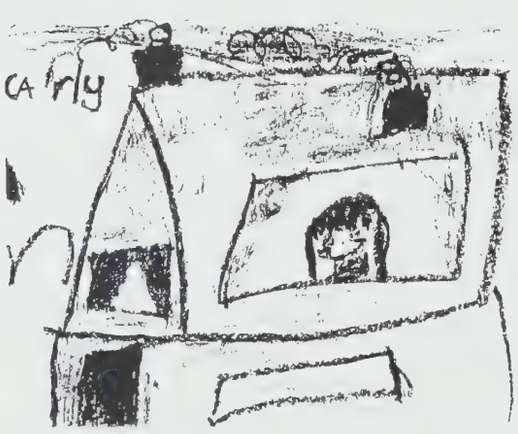


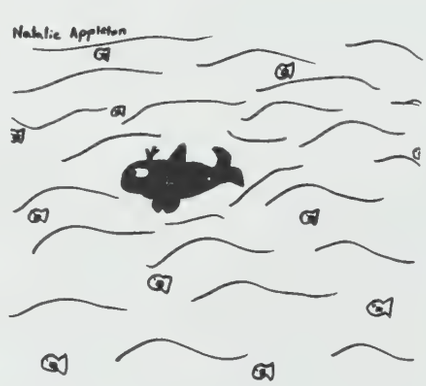
The Magic Crown

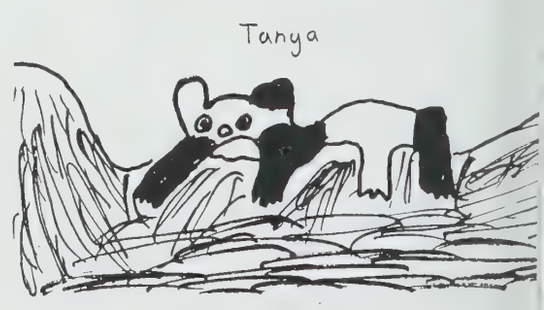
Once there was a magic crown lost in the mountains, and the magic crown could do anything. You could just think of what you wanted it to do.

And there was a boy who was very poor. He had no money. One day the boy was going for a walk upon the mountain. He thought it was very beautiful on the mountain, but then he saw something sparkling. It was a crown. He said, "I will take it home." And then when he got home he showed his mom, and then he heard something rattling. It was money, and then they were not poor any more.

Christy Ann Evans, Grade 1







The House That Sarah Built

This is the house that Sarah built.
This is the cat that lay in the house
that Sarah built.
This is the flea that sat on the cat,
that lay in the house that Sarah
built.
This is the spider that ate the flea,
that sat on the cat, that lay in the
house that Sarah built.
This is the wasp that worried the
spider, that ate the flea, that sat on
the cat, that lay in the house that
Sarah built.

Sarah Moselle, Grade 1

White Snow

The snow is as white as can be.
The snow is as soft as a pillow.
Snow snow
It tickles my toes
The snow is as white as can be.

Sonia Behune, Grade 2

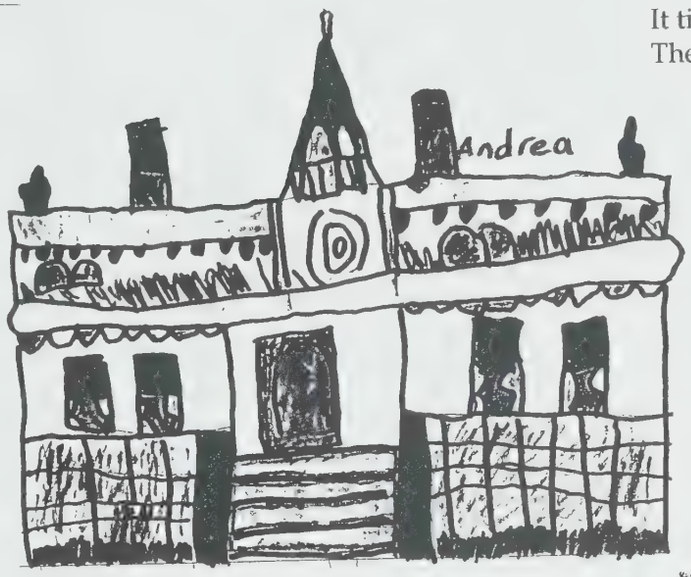
Rain Forest

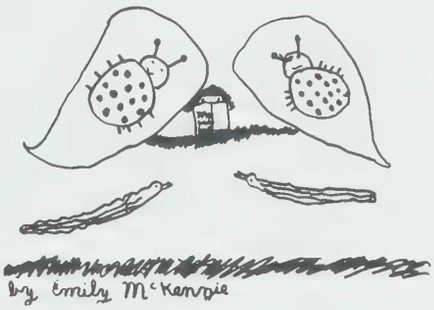
Blue sky, muddy ground,
Large tall trees looking down.
Inside a hollow tree I sit,
And find spiders and insects,
Feeling warm inside,
Happy and safe.

Large fish swimming upstream,
jumping and splashing,
Silver, grey and reddish,
Males, like fierce monsters,
fighting to spawn.
Fish dying beside the banks,
Leaving a smell so strong.

The ducks are quacking,
The eagles are high in the blue
sky.
Maple leaf soap stuck between
rocks
Flowing down the river.

Colette Swift, Grade 3





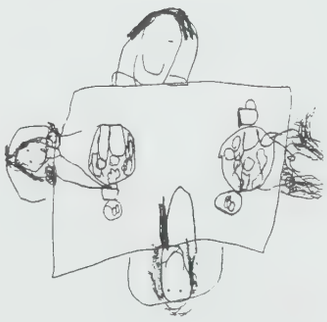
War

Such a sad, sad war,
World War 2,
Such a sad, sad death,
World War 2.
All these people dying,
Children crying.
Such a sad, sad war,
World War 2.

Maggie Williams, Grade 3

we went to
the Bucherde
Berdins
with my
family.

J.d.



This is me outside
looking at my big
flower.

Simone

The Sound of Music

HALLOWEEN

There's No Business Like School Business

Intermediate Art and Literature

The Moon

The moon is quite a wondrous thing,
Shiny and silver, fit for a king.
It watches over the world with care,
Gentle, loving always there,
Comforting, soothing, very mild,
Like a mother to her child.
Some think there's a man in the moon,
I won't believe that anytime soon.
Some say it is made of cheese,
I can't believe that with ease!
I think more of a woman in white,
Drifting lone, through the starry night
Trailing her veil of sunny, bright dawn,
Until it envelopes her, and she is gone.
All that is left are her tears on the lawn.

Caley FitzPatrick, Grade 7

The Wolf

The sky was midnight black,
The moon shimmered through the trees.
The mist hung heavily on the ground
The stars twinkled and were all aglow.
The silence was deafening.

A mournful howl shattered the silence.
A grey figure sat handsomely on a rocky ledge.
The howling stopped
And yet another howl arose from far away.
Then the grey figure plunged
into the darkness of the forest.

Sydney Cunliffe, Grade 5

Dad
Silly, loving
Working, playing, caring
Makes me feel special
Mentor

Dee Dee Lapper, Grade 4

Forgiving
Respectful
Intuitive
Empathetic
Nurturing
Dependable
Sharing
Interesting
Positive

Stacey Clark, Grade 5

Sleep

I wrap my hands around your mind.
I cover your eyes with my visions.
All your little nagging worries,
Are lost in my sea of calm.

I slowly saunter through your mind,
I follow my friend the sun.
Your eyelids close like a curtain,
As I enter your ring of thought.

My soothing song relaxes your limbs,
My caring natures, calm your nerves,
My blanket of warmth smothers you,
As you drift off to sleep.

Jessica Prince, Grade 7

Reflection in the Mirror

When I look in the mirror
I don't only see
The frizzy brown hair
The deep brown eyes
I see beyond
Into my heart
Into my soul
I see the caring,
Loving person
In me

Brittany Pollock, Grade 7

Autumn

Fireworks of leaves,
Exploding colourfulness
Falling slowly down.

Sweet smelling dew drops
Falling from the sky, down down
Becoming diamonds.

Misty white chimneys
Send delicate lace skyward,
Up into the cold.

Holly Boux, Grade 7

Trees by the Ocean

Trees by the ocean
Standing silent together.
Shadows on the shore.
Who hides in the canopy?
Are they watching over us?

Maggie Eddy, Grade 6

Botanical Beach

strolled slowly along the evergreen
orest path and heard the gently
owing wind whistling through the
trees.

came to the rocky cliff's edge
nd felt like the hawk soaring high
bove me.

tumbling over slippery rocks I
touched
he smooth sandstone beneath my
feet.

sat quietly beside a shiny tide pool
nd watched tiny fish swim from
ock to rock.

ater I closed my eyes and saw
he ocean stretching out to the
orizon.

Charlene Tapp, Grade 6

Sleep

Sleep,
enfolding me
in its peace.
Slumber
tugging at my lids.
I finally give in,
after a busy day.
Sleep.

Marianne Gillion, Grade 6

Pain

Your touch is like knives piercing
my skin.
Your breath is poison to my weak-
ened lungs.
Your smell is like a blanket wrapped
around my changing face.
Your eyes are rays that send shud-
ders up my broken spine.
Your feet are like weights that crush
my suffering body.
Your hands are snakes that squeeze
and twist.
You are the one whom I fear the
most.
You are the one called Pain.

Paige Muttersbach, Grade 7

Flame
Red, Orange
Quivering, burning, growing
Fills me with warmth
Fire

Phoebe Ramsay, Grade 4

Yesterday

Yesterday the world was mine to
play with,
to explore
Today it's someone else's

Yesterday no one died or was hurt or
was sad
Today we live around it
Yesterday I had the questions why,
when,
who
Today I want the answers

Yesterday I had no worries, no cares,
no fears
Today I need some comfort
Yesterday was the freedom of
innocence
Today is the burden of reality.

Clare Killikelly, Grade 7

The Horses

Galloping over the moors the wild
horses thunder.
Moving as a team they race across
the sodden ground, hooves beating
rapidly.
The hanging fog gives no warning of
these majestic animals.
Then once again they disappear into
the void.

Hilary Piets, Grade 5

Botanical Beach

B eautiful animals
O n the ocean
T ide pools rippling
A nemones curling
N udibranches crawling
I ncredible
C rashing waves
A cool wind blows
L ife is beautiful

Marianne Hicks, Grade 6

Sounds of Night

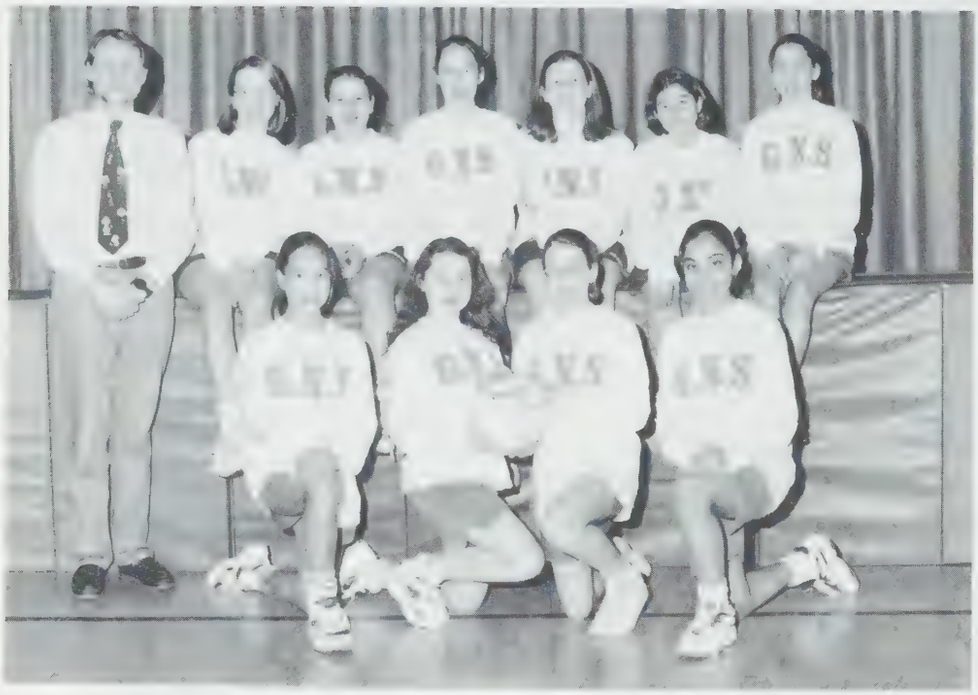
Death is lurking in every corner
the stillness is drawing
the light is fading fast.

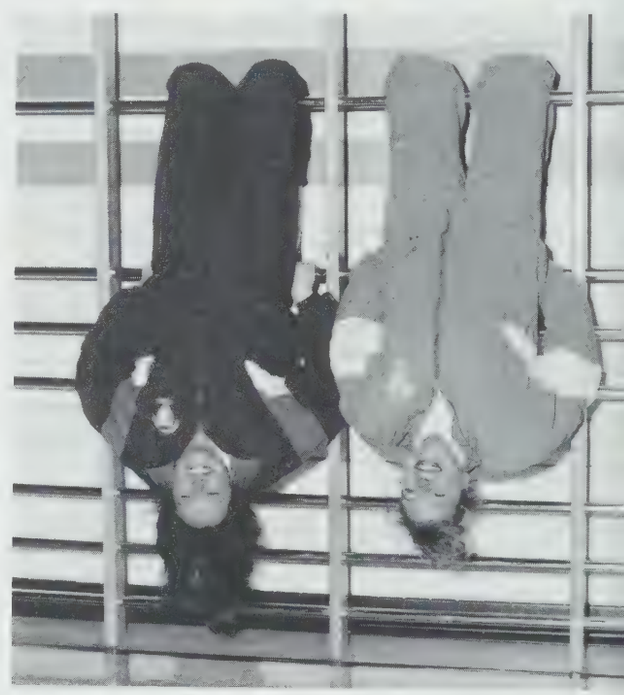
The silence breaks with a call of the
wild
Aaawoooooo,

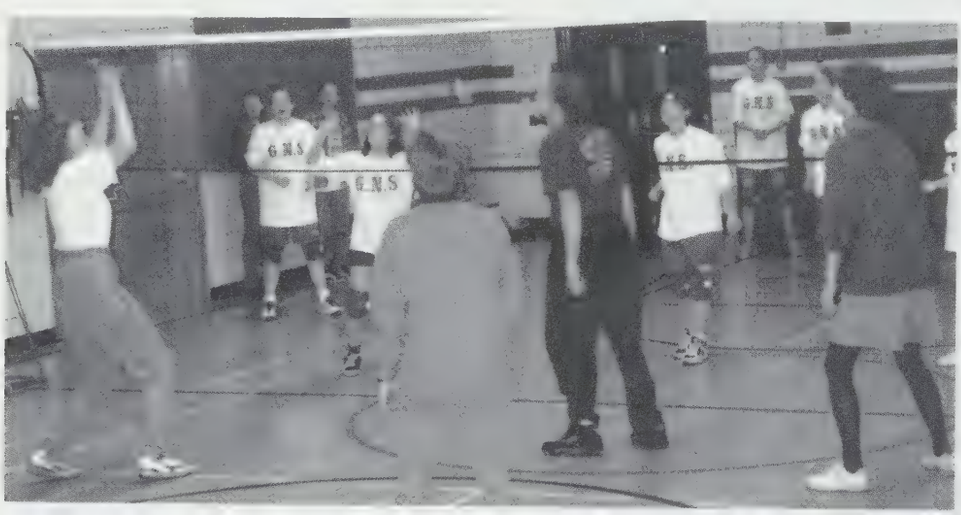
Like a dagger
In the hand of a murderer.

Alex McKimm, Grade 5

Lights, Camera, Action







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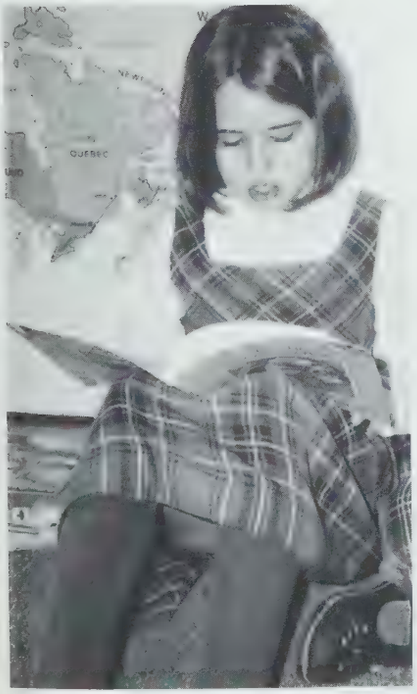

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Absent: Alison Ludgate

The Bat

High pitched screams echo
Through his lonely, darkened cave
He rules the night sky

Samantha Sloan

Owl

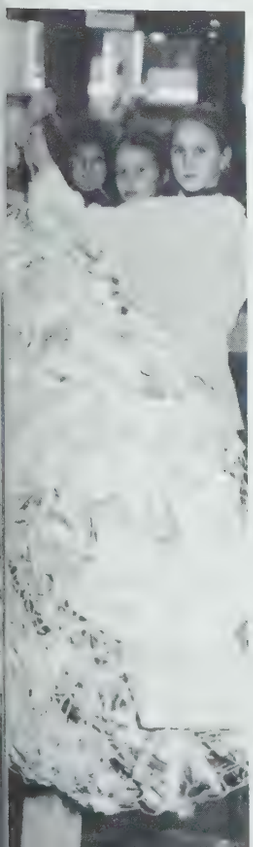
Big yellow eyes
Sitting in a willow tree
Watching for the mouse

Molly Siegel

Fringe

Extremely graceful
And never identical
Fringe, like no other

Lynn Harper-Cimolini

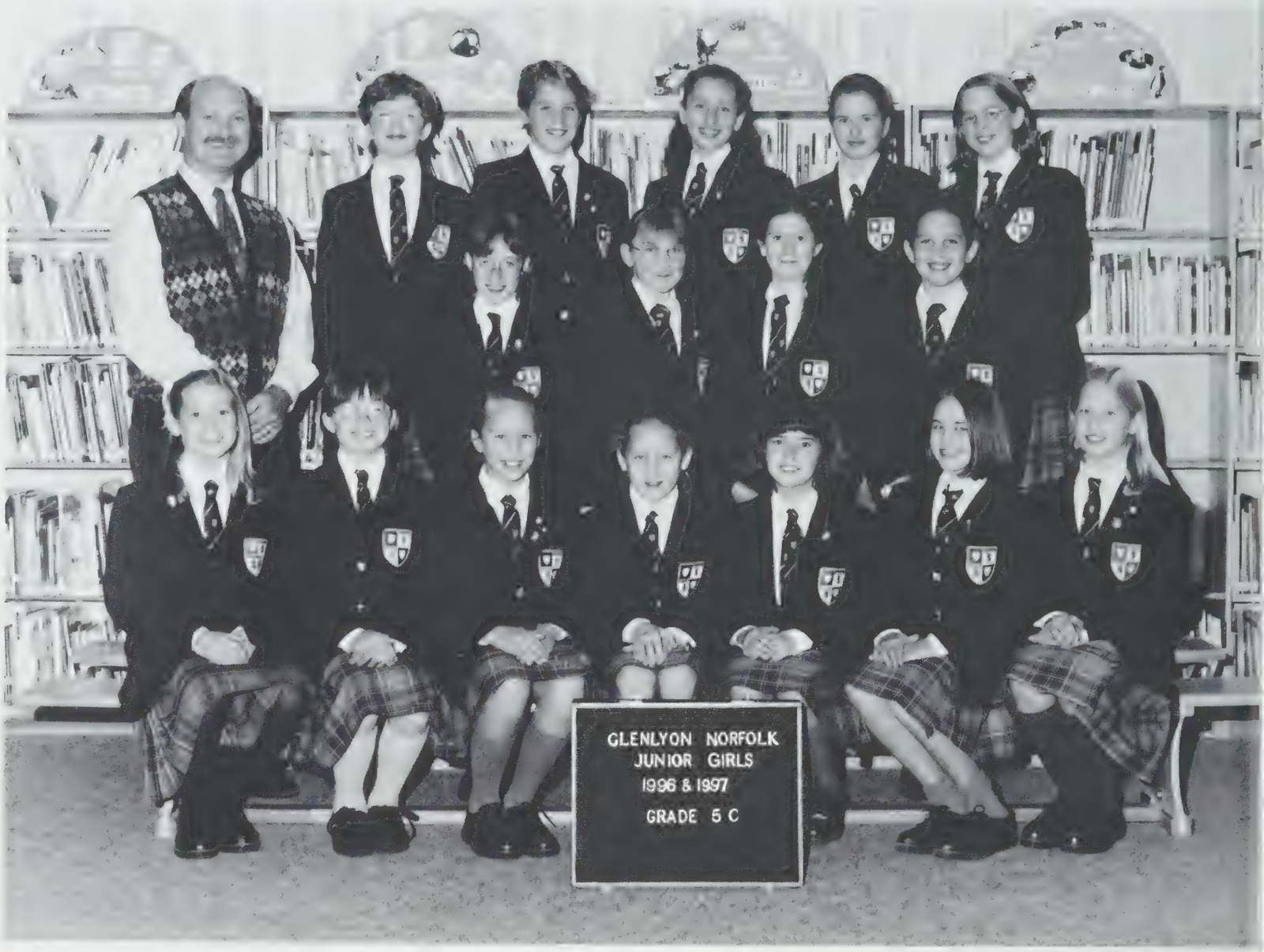


Ocean World

Wondrous creatures
Playing in the coral reef
All hungry for food

Alison Ludgate

Grade 5C



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THE FOREST

Beautiful ancient trees surround me.
The fresh, sweet smell of the forest
fills me with the sounds of the years
and years before me.
The softness of the moist earth
filters through me and I am over-
whelmed with the sound of the birds
sweetly singing.

Cosima Friesen

WAR

War is not pleasant
And War is not nice
We all hate war
It is just a big fight
What is war?
And why does it have to be?
We all know the answer
All of us, even me.

Noelle Christie

Grade 5L

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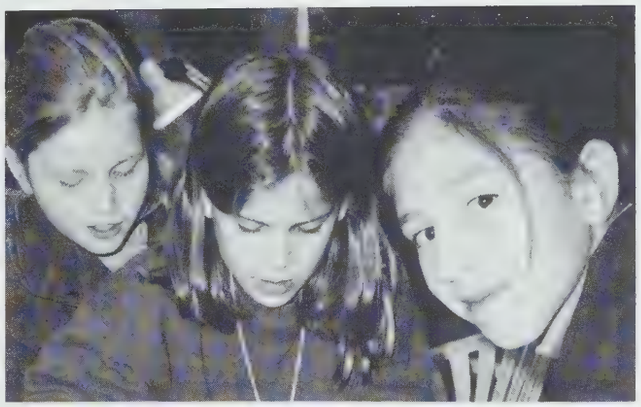

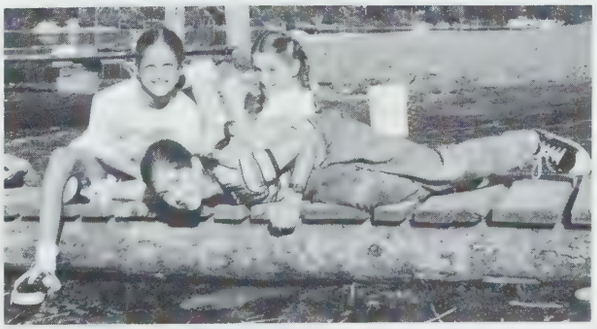

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Grade 7B

Nestled in the halls at G.N.S.
there is one class that is the best.
It's true that in Grade 7B,
we all act quite crazy.
With twenty in all,
laughter and gossip carry throughout the hall.
Camp Narnia was fun,
although it was covered in dung!
Early humans was quite a class,
forget about the brain size, we'll pass.
Christmas holiday provided a needed break,
but marking away was Mr. Blake.
Exams.....well, don't worry grade six,
you'll get candy and a Chinese dish.
It only takes the whole morning,
and then it's done, and the rest of the day is boring.
Dances with the guys are fun,
and you'll be sad when the night is done.
You get to rule the school,
now, that's pretty cool!
Dreams, hopes, marks, and friends,
the good times will never end.

By Lauren Megson

Grade 7T

Front Row (L-R): Natalie McFetridge, Holly Boux, Jessica Appleton, Clare Killikelly, Laura Gover, Erynn Ozarko, Mimi Warren

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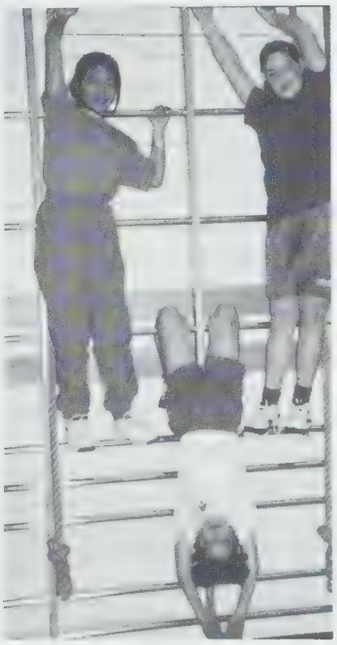

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With the proceeds from our various fund raising efforts we have enjoyed providing many items, large and small to make being a GNS student an enriched experience. We hope you have fond memories of our favourite functions: The Seaside Carnival; The Christmas Affair; and The Family BBQ. Hot dog days and and the Used Uniform shop have continually helped raise money. To date we have contributed $43, 800 to the Travel Fund and we annually donate amounts for scholarships and book prizes. Notable contributions to GNS are:

ACADEMIC

- Computer software and hardware
- Language centres and material
- Maps, globes, overhead projectors
- Science videos, calculators

SPORTS

- Rowing erg, bleachers in gym
- Team uniforms for Jr. Boys and Girls
- Portable basketball hoops
- Gym equipment

FINE ARTS

- Lighting for PAC and Jr. Boys Stage
- Stage curtain Jr. Girls
- P.A. System

GENERAL

- School buses
- Kayaks
- Climbing frame at Jr. Boys
- First aid kits
- Outside benches
- Field side tent
- Notice boards

THE FAMILY OF NATHAN GEMINIANO

CONGRATULATES THE GNS CLASS OF '97

We have followed your progress with special interest.
Your dreams and aspirations have been close to our hearts.
As you graduate and head out into the world of challenges
and opportunities, we wish you well on whatever path you go.
Your friendship has been a strength and solace to us.

Good luck and God bless.

The Geminiano Family

Thank you, Mr. Brooks, for all you have done for the school. We wish you well in your new position abroad.

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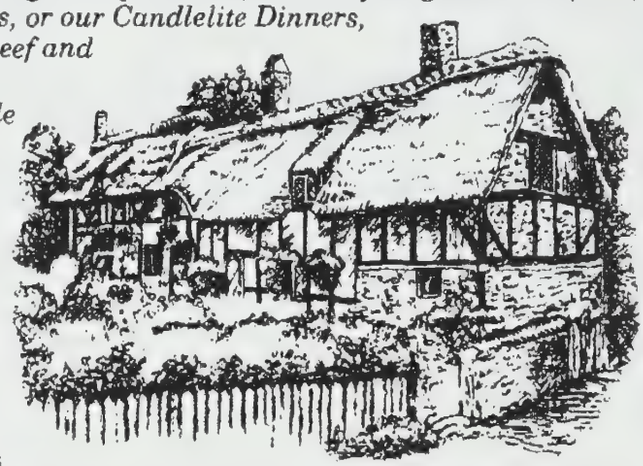

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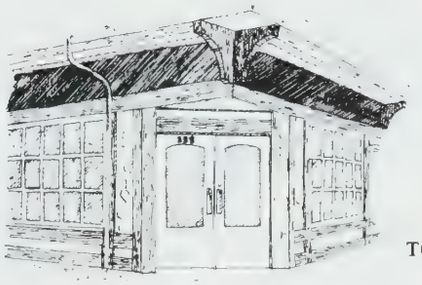

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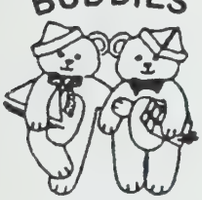

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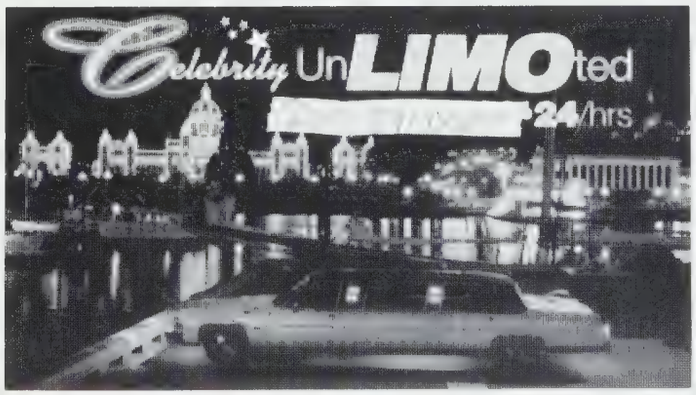

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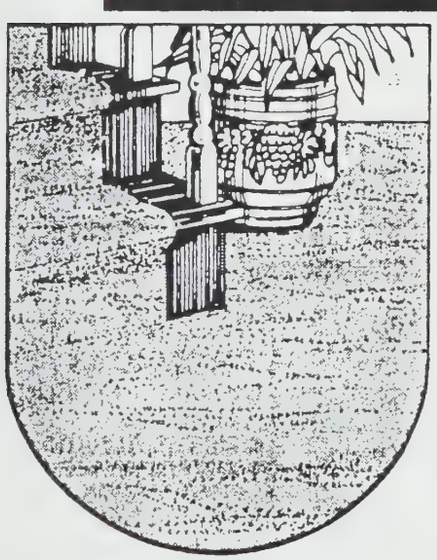

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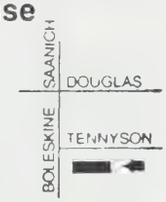

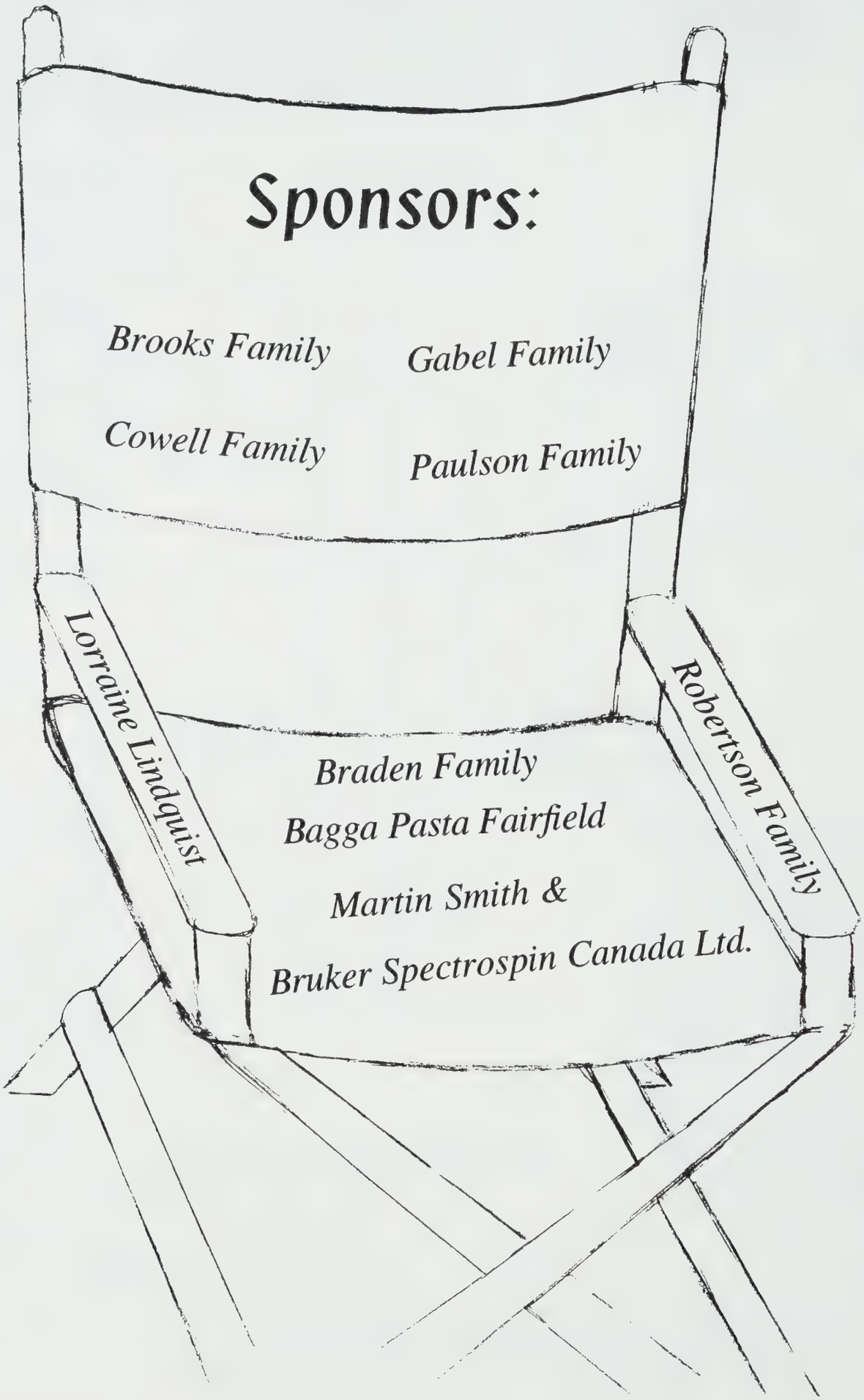
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